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The article was written by JOHN AHLERS, who doesn't stop with a description of what would happen, but suggests a plan whereby the situation might be saved!

Other articles include a discussion of recent developments in Washington in connection with the attempt to alter the Neutrality Law, "The Explosive Situation at Tientsin," "The Anglo-French-Moscow Parleys," "Singapore, a Base Without a Fleet," "The Manchu-Mongol Air Battles," "Nippon's Campaign Deadlocked on the Anniversary," "The Coastal Blockade," "China's Spirit Undaunted," "Manchuria, the Great Profitless Investment," "Currency Complications," "Nippon Wants a Speedy Ending of the War Because of the European Crisis," and a review of "The Economic Strength of Japan."

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Rent Racket:

Plea for United Front

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I make no apology for re-opening this subject as it is a matter of such vital importance to local residents.

Yesterday I was shown a letter from the agent of a well-known block of residential flats in the French Concession. After the usual rigmarole about fall in exchange, increase in taxes, cost of coal, etc., it stated that, after notice of one month, rent would be in U. S. dollars which, at current rates, worked out at an increase of 35 per cent. on which basis they were prepared to sign a lease for one year. It may be argued that rents were previously unduly low dating from the time of the evacuation in 1937, but this does not apply in the case in point as the rent had already been increased some 6 months previously after the housing situation had become acute.

Let us examine for a moment the justification of landlords to increase rents, for no one would deny their right to a moderate increase.

The fall in exchange from 8¼d. to 6½d. represents almost exactly 20 per cent. and we will give them the benefit of the assumption (which is by no means correct) that their maintenance costs will immediately rise by a similar percentage. I am no real estate expert myself, but those whom I have consulted are agreed that 25 per cent. of the gross rentals is generally considered ample to cover running costs. An increase of 20 per cent. or 25 per cent. of a rent would appear to me to justify an increase of 5 per cent. not 35 to 50 per cent.

The argument that the nett rentals show a lower return on a gold basis is quite unjustifiable. Real estate in Shanghai represents a local dollar investment and returns should be calculated in terms thereof. As well might landlords in Great Britain after the War have justified rent increases by saying that their incomes were less in terms of Gold Dollars.

In conclusion may I urge tenants not to give in to these exorbitant demands too easily. A united front may give pause to the most rapacious monster.

TENANT.

Shanghai, July 1.

Yen for Japan:

Japanese Currency Law

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—We have received many enquiries from our clients regarding the New Exchange Law recently promulgated by the Japanese Ministry of Finance regarding the carrying of currency into Japan.

In order to limit the importation of currency, the Ministry are enforcing the rule that only Y.200 in cash will be permitted to each adult, in the case of married couples or family parties travelling together they will be treated as a unit and will only be allowed the same allowance as an adult; the balance must be carried by either a letter of credit or draft.

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Applicants for drafts and letters of credits should be prepared to furnish the Bank with particulars of their intended stay in Japan, as the intention of the Government in formulating these regulations is to prevent speculation in foreign exchange.

We trust you will give us the hospitality of your columns to explain the situation, in order to avoid any inconvenience to intending holiday makers in Japan.

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Sub-Manager.

Shanghai, June 27.

Worthy Charity:

Better Servants' Quarters

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—The most worth-while charity is helping people to help themselves. If a few humane landlords would make servants' quarters in apartment buildings decently livable with wooden instead of cement floors, easily cleaned toilets and shower or bath facilities, I can foresee a few domestic service jobs opening for European refugees. There must be others like myself who would find housekeeping problems simplified with help who appreciate the horrors of germs, flies and roaches.

Incidentally, when I had my own house and installed a shower, I found the coolie relished it daily at least in the summer. All this talk about preventing disease in the homes—how is it possible when one provides filthy hovels for one's domestics, who come into one's home daily and handle food!

Many in the Orient feel that foreign help is too expensive, but if one takes into account the careless breakage—squeeze—the whole family from the country living off the titbits, the inefficiency (a servants doing the job of one able person) the doctor's bills due to them as a source of infection—the nerve-wrecking sleuth work required to prevent them from buying stale vegetables and other inferior food unfit for human consumption, while one is paying the prices for best quality—I believe the Chinese servant very far from cheap and hardly worth the questionable luxury of having one who stoops to the menial task of putting on master's slippers for him but not to getting down to a good floor scrubbing in corners and underneath tables and couches.

MRS. J. L. WINKELMAN.

Shanghai, June 30.

High Prices:

Co-operative Society Wanted

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Recently a gentleman suggested a co-operative society. If I understood it correctly, the idea is for several families to pool together, and buy supplies, food, etc., at wholesale or reasonable prices, and in that manner combat the compradore sharks. I would appreciate hearing further plans, and am prepared to co-operate to the fullest extent.

MRS. J. L. WINKELMAN.

Shanghai, June 29.

Germany and Rumania:

What Herr Hitler Thinks

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—On page 12 of your today's issue you publish an article under the headline:—

Rumania and Her Neighbours' Independence Again Endangered; German Danger Justification for Dictatorship.

It seems that the article is reproduced from "The Times," with the purpose in view to convince the reader that Rumania has to be protected from dangerous German aggression. It is stated for instance "....it has been Rumania's constant problem to seek support against possible dangers."

That Rumania seems to be not in the least perturbed from the so-called and alleged "German menace" and how unjustified a supposition to the contrary is, becomes strikingly clear from the statement made by Reichsführer Adolf Hitler in his momentous speech of April 28, a.c. The passage in question reads as follows:—

It was a fact that perhaps only one single state was interested in the preservation of the status quo (of Czechoslovakia), and that was Rumania; the man best authorized to speak on behalf of that country told me personally how desirable it would be to have a direct line of communication with Germany perhaps via the Ukraine and Slovakia.

I mention this as an illustration of the feeling of being menaced by Germany from which the Rumanian Government—according to the American clairvoyants—are supposed to be suffering.

I have not noticed so far that this most important statement concerning Rumania has been reproduced in English-printed newspapers, it might therefore be convenient to bring it to the general reader's attention.

P. PAELZ.

Shanghai, July 1.

Hare's Behaviour:

Did the Animal Know?

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—MR. E. S. WILKINSON's description in his "Country Diary" of June 24 from Weihaiwei, which appeared in your issue of June 30, and describes observing a hare from behind apparently without being detected, is very interesting. But one wonders whether the hare really was unaware of his presence. The eyes of the hare are so set in its head as to make it possible for it to detect movement behind it, even if it does not get a clearly-defined picture of the moving object, and the fact that the animal MR. WILKINSON was watching gave no indication that it was aware of his presence is no proof that it did not know perfectly well that he was there. One of the hare's favourite methods of seeking protection is to remain perfectly still, even in an exposed position, trusting to the wonderful camouflage of its colouring to render it immune from detection. I have often approached hares sitting rigid in open fields to within actual touching distance, without their betraying their presence by the slightest movement, and, more than once, have actually touched them with my toe before they sprang into life and dashed off. That they did not know of my presence is out of the question, for I have stood looking straight into one eye (since the hare's eye is high up on the side of the head) of the animal. Also there was the noise I must have made in my approach.

The fact that MR. WILKINSON's hare was within a few yards of him, "crouched down with ears at attention," suggests that it did know of his presence, and one wonders whether the hare was not laughing at MR. WILKINSON laughing at it. In that case each had the laugh of the other—the hare because MR. WILKINSON believed that it did not know he was there, and MR. WILKINSON because the hare obviously believed that he had not seen it. If it had had the least suspicion that it had been seen, it would not have delayed its departure an instant.

ARTHUR DE C. SOWERBY.

Shanghai, June 30.

Cinema Conduct:

Complaint "All Boloney"

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I feel that CINEMA-LOVER's complaint is aimed directly at men in uniform, although to save his face his does mention civilians.

I visit the cinema quite regularly, and for $1.60 I get a tip-top seat, and only on one occasion have I noticed a man in uniform misbehaving, and it wasn't very objectionable or for any length of time either. But I did notice a party of women, all well dressed and of an average age of 23, sitting in the 85 cents seats, and it reminded me of a children's tea-fight, they appeared to be overcome by the love scenes and giggled like lunatics.

I do not know the nationality of complainant, but doesn't he find these long-drawn-out expectorations of the Chinese annoying also?

Another flaw in CINEMA-LOVER's argument—why say that he realizes this is not the time for petty questions, and then in the same paragraph say that the misconduct has reached a proportion that cannot be tolerated any longer? Fiddlesticks! If anyone's behaviour in a place of amusement is objectionable, surely the management have the right to eject them. Therefore I consider CINEMA-LOVER's complaint "All Boloney."

FAIR PLAY.

Shanghai, July 1.

CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 19. Lessons: 1 Samuel 12; Mark 6, 1-32. Naylor in E flat. Hymns: 193, 220. Preacher: The Dean (Mattins at 10.30 a.m. will be broadcast from Cathedral over XMHC, 700 kc., 428.57 m.) Holy Communion 11.45 a.m. Evensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm: 36. Lessons: 1 Samuel 15, 1-31; Matt. 5, 17-end. Hymns: 308, 12, 22. Preacher: Rev. Lloyd Craignill, M. A. Bubbling Well Chapel. 6 p.m. Preacher: The Dean.

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20.30: Gospel Service (Dr. D. Farquharson)
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Weekdays, July 3 to 8.
8.30: Thought for the Day (Rev C. J. Lowe)
12.45: N.C.D.N. News Broadcast
13.00: Devotional Service.
17.00: Classical and Popular Music
20.00: Sacred Concert
20.30: Gospel Service and Song.
21.00: N.C.D.N. News Broadcast
21.15: Tuesday, Russian Service
Noonday speakers: Rev. Chas. Wilson, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock, Rev. A. E. Small, C. I. M. Friends, Miss Edith Spurling, Rev. J. A. Jacobson.

Saint Joseph's Church (Rue Montauban) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7.30 a.m.

Sacred Heart Church (21 Nanzing Road). Sunday: Masses at 6, 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 5 p.m. Weekdays Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Saint Peter's Church (Avenue Dubail) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8 and 9 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

Saint Theresa's Church (370 Tatung Road. Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays. Masses at 6.15 a.m.

Our Lady's Church (694 Baikal Road.) Sunday: Masses at 6.30 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga (730 Kiaochow Road). Sunday Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 6.30 a.m.

Fourth Marines Church.—Chaplain Lieut. R. R. Marken will conduct the church service at the Metropol Theatre on Sunday at 10 a.m. The Fourth Marines' morning programme commemorates the great American day. American National Independence Day. Chaplain Marken will preach the sermon on "The Birth of a Nation," a theme appropriate to the occasion.

Society of Friends (Quakers)—A meeting for Worship to which all are welcome will be held at 6 p.m. in room D at the Foreign Y.M.C.A., 150 Bubbling Well Road.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Shanghai 1647 Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. Subject GOD. Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Community Church.—The summer session of the church school begins Sunday morning at 9.45 a.m. All departments will meet in the Community Church auditorium. Dr. John Lyon Caughey will preach Sunday at 11 a.m. on the theme, "Counsel of Perfection," St. Matt. 5.48. Mr. R. V. Dent will be at the organ, and Mrs. T. F. Waung will sing "Bread of Holy Heaven" by Cesar Franck. At 3.30 p.m., a memorial service for Dr. John Y. Lee will be held in the church.

Bethesda Gospel Hall (International),—729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai. Gospel Services are held in: German:—on Sundays at 5 to 6 p.m., on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4.30 to 5.30 p.m. English:—on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. Chinese: on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10 to 11.30 a.m., on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30 to 3.30 p.m., on Thursdays Prayer Meeting at 7.30 to 8.30 p.m., on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30 to 7 p.m.

Endeavourers Church—Morning service will be held in The Hut, 491 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. to be followed by observance of the Holy Communion. Dr. Lee S. Huizenga will conduct both services. Mid-week prayer-meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in room 305, Missions Building—169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.

Shanghai Free Christian Church (Evangelical) 681 Hart Road.—The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Dr. P. F. Price, followed by Communion Service. Evening at 6 o'clock by Rev. W. H. Webb. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. Thursday evening at 7.45 Mens' Bible Class.

"The Hut." 491 Yu Yuen Road.—Children's Service, 9 a.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Preacher, Mr. J. A. Eggo.

The Buses:

Season Ticket Question

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I have read with interest and fellow-feeling the letter in your yesterday's issue from a COMMUTING CHINESE. My monthly contribution to the Bus Co. is also somewhere in the neighbourhood of $8. Possibly, like others, I must confess to a frequent feeling of apprehension when watching an approaching bus as to what is going to happen when I endeavour to board it.

Is it not possible for season tickets to be issued for particular routes or combinations of routes? I ask this in all diffidence, being a

NEW COMER.

Shanghai, June 30.

A Poser:

A Reader's Solution

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—With reference to PUZZLED's poser, the following sketch showing seating of various authors satisfies all the requirements:

Historian	WHITE	PINK	Essayist
Poet	GREY	BROWN	Playwright
Novelist	BLACK	GREEN	Humorist

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Shanghai, July 1.

WORLD RADIO

The following table shows the Shanghai times at which *news* is broadcast in the principal countries of the world, together with the wave-lengths and frequencies used. We shall be glad to receive comment or suggestions from listeners, which should be addressed or telephoned to the Radio Eidtor of the "North-China Daily News" (Tel. 11055).

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	7	16.83	17.84
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*Afternoon BBC Programme

6.45 "The Table Under the Tree," play with music
8.25 Religious Service (C. of E.)
9.15 News and newsletter
9.30 Saturday Sport
10.00 "Cards on the Table," discussion
11.10 Religious Service (Methodist)
12.00 News

"Oriental Affairs"

The first editorial article in this month's "Oriental Affairs" stresses the need for a British Embassy spokesman, concluding:

....It is not too much to argue that the knowledge that complete and full publicity would be given to the British version of each incident, locally, would have a strong deterrent effect upon those responsible for creating them.

Other editorials are "The Tientsin Puzzle," "Playing with Fire" (Anti-Foreign Movements), "The Case of Colonel Spear," "Collapse of the Chinese Dollar," and "Japan and the Democracies," with special reference to the onslaught on Great Britain. Special articles include "Tension in Anglo-Japanese Relations—its Cause and Remedies" by Mr. T. Okamoto, associate editor of the "Tokyo Asahi"; "Asylum in the Foreign Areas"; "The Tinkler Case"; "Alleged Abuse of Foreign Flags"; "'Isolation' of Tientsin Concessions," by Mr. W. V. Pennell; "The Feetham Reforms;" "The Great Wall of China." A "Letter from Japan" from Mr. H. Vere Redman, and from North-China from Mr. W. V. Pennell, "A Monthly Review of Economic Conditions in China"; by Mr. Y. S. Shen, book reviews and Notes and Comments complete the issue.

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2 What are the common names of the following chemicals:
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(b) Protoxide of Nitrogen
(c) Oil of Vitriol
(d) Chloride of Sodium
(e) Carbonate of Calcium
(f) Acetic Acid

3 Who was the "Gay Lothario"?

4 After what prominent China hands the following Shanghai roads were named:
(a) Alcock Road
(b) Boone Road
(c) Medhurst Road
(d) Ward Road
(e) Rockhill Avenue
(f) Young Allen Court

5 How much a cubic foot of solid gold weighs?

6 Who wrote the poem containing the following lines:
"And a very little cottage
One family will do
But I never have seen a house
That was big enough for two."

Answers on Page 16

Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF JULY 2, 1869

Man has always wished to add something to God's work. Man retouches creation, sometimes for better, sometimes for worse. The Court buffoon was nothing but an attempt to lead back man to the monkey. It was a progress the wrong way. A masterpiece in retrogression. At the same time they tried to make a man of the monkey. Barbara, Duchess of Cleveland and Countess of Southampton, had a marmoset for a page. Frances Sutton, Baroness Dudley, eighth peeress on the bench of barons, had tea served by a baboon clad in gold brocade, which her ladyship called "My Black." Catherine Sedley, Countess of Dorchester, used to go and take her seat in Parliament in a coach with armorial bearings, behind which stood their muzzles stuck up in the air, three Cape monkeys in grand livery. A Duchess of Medina-Celi, whose toilette Cardinal Pole witnessed, had her stockings put on by an ourangoutang. These monkeys raised in the scale were a counterpoise to men brutalized and bestalized.

Vast Search for Gold Beginning in Japan

Foreigners Not Exempted From General Survey

Tokyo, July 1.

Prospectors armed with notebooks and Government decrees were engaged in a vast hunt for gold in dresser drawers and jewel boxes in Japan today as a nation-wide census of the precious metal got under way.

For their hunting grounds the Government census takers had 13,000,000 households and organizations; in this extensive territory they were confident that they would find "pay dirt" in large quantities.

Foreigners are not exempted from the census, although they will not be required to sell their gold articles to the Government.

Printed forms on which to make a report of gold articles were distributed to all households in the country today. The survey is intended to ascertain the approximate total of all gold holdings in Japan, as well as to strengthen a nation-wide drive for selling gold objects to the Government.

The "Yomiuri Shimbun" said a conservative estimate placed the amount of gold holdings in the nation at Y.200,000,000 while a liberal estimate was Y.800,000,000.—Domei.

Marshal Petain Returns To Madrid Post

Paris, June 30.

Marshal Petain, French Ambassador to Spain, who has just spent about a fortnight in Paris to negotiate with the Premier, M. Edouard Daladier, and the Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet, over the return to Spain of the Spanish gold France is still holding, will leave Paris tonight to return to his post in Madrid. Nothing official can be learned at the Quai d'Orsay but it is assumed that the Marshal succeeded in view of rumours already circulated that Marshal Petain had refused to return to his post unless his request for a rapid return of the Spanish gold were granted.—Trans-Ocean.

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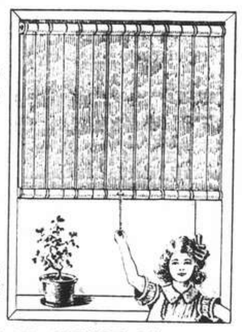

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Canadian Cheddar "Full Cream"	$2.00 per lb.
"Kraft" Cream Loaf	$2.20 per lb.
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Pure Mocha, Freshly Ground	$1.50 per lb.
"D.S." All-Purpose	$1.75 per lb. tin
"Maxwell-House"	$2.55 per lb. tin
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"Carnation," tall can	$7.40 per doz.
"Carnation," baby can	$3.70 per doz.
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"Taikoo" Granulated	$3.20 per 10 lb. bag
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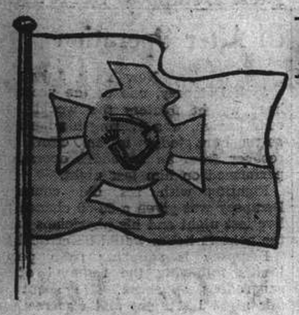


Development of Poland's Sea Trade

From the time when the great Marshal Pilsudski brought Poland from beneath the yoke and established her as a great Power the Polish people have dedicated all their efforts to the construction of that "bastion on the Baltic," the seaport of Gdynia, vital link connecting the country with the world at large. To signify the importance of sea power to Poland, Poles all over the world today celebrate with elaborate ceremonial their "Sea and Colonial" Festival.

Poland's Maritime Province Of Pomerania

No "Corridor" But Front Door Opening On The World

THE province of Polish Pomerania (*Pomorze*), incorrectly called the "Corridor," is the maritime province of Poland and is situated along both sides of the lower Vistula River. Practically all the topographical names of Pomerania (cities, villages, settlements, rivers, lakes, ponds and fields) are Polish, a fact which is ample testimony to the age-long Polish or Slavonic character of the province.

Pomerania has an area of 6,327 sq. miles, and the population according to the 1931 census is 1,086,144. The province is made up of but a part of pre-war West Prussia, the area of which was 9,747 sq. miles.

The area of Pomerania is greater than that of Alsace-Lorraine or of Saxony; nearly that of Wales; a little over half that of Belgium; and about one-third as large as Denmark. The inhabitants of Pomerania are slightly fewer than those of Esthonia or of the State of Connecticut; about half those of Wales.

Pomerania is that part of Poland which offers her 36,000,000 inhabitants their only outlet to the sea. It is, as well, the only means of direct contact between Poland and the nations of Western Europe and America.

The total length of the Polish coast line is 146 kilometres, or 2.5 per cent of Poland's entire frontier, and Poland has but two sea ports: Gdynia and Danzig.

For every mile of sea coast Poland has 1,704 sq. miles of surface and 372,000 inhabitants.

Pomerania, as a district ethnographically Polish permitting at the same time an unrestricted outlet to the sea, was returned to Poland by the Versailles Treaty in 1919, in conformity with Point 13 of President Wilson's conditions of peace.

The wording of that Point was: "An independent Polish State should be erected which should include the territories inhabited by indisputably Polish populations, which should be assured a free and secure access to the sea, and territorial integrity should be guaranteed by international covenant."

Linked Through The Ages

Poland's title to Pomerania, however, is far older than the Treaty of Versailles, which by no means returned all the lands that are rightfully hers. That title is vested in the fact that the history of Pomerania has been bound up with that of the Polish nation throughout the ages.

In A.D. 960 Pomerania was united with Poland. In 1308 it was seized by the Teutonic Knights of the Cross and remained in their power until 1454 when the inhabitants themselves cast off the yoke of the Order and of their own free will reunited with Poland. Until 1772 Pomerania was an integral part of the Polish State. In that year the First Partition of Poland took place.

From the time of the First and Second Partitions, in 1772 and 1793 respectively, Pomerania was incorporated as a part of the Prussian kingdom, forming until 1877 one province with East Prussia. It was then reorganized as a separate province under the name of West Prussia. In 1920 Pomerania for the greater part was restored to Poland.

Thus, not considering prehistoric times when Pomerania was inhabited by Slavonic peoples, it was from the years 960 to 1308 and from 1454 to 1772 (some parts till 1793), or for a period of 666 years, a Polish province. On the other hand it was but twice (from 1308-1454 and from 1772-1919), a period of 147 years, under the rule of a foreign Power.

The Cashubs

North-western Pomerania and the area bordering on German Pomerania and the Free City of Danzig is inhabited by a Pomeranian tribe called Cashubs, using their own dialect and possessing their own folklore. They are the remains of those old Western Slavs, forming with the Poles the Lechite group of Slavs, who at one time inhabited all of Germany east of the Elbe. Numbering 140,000 (or 13 per cent of the total population) they are, however, not a separate, self-subsisting people but consider themselves as a part of the Polish race. The difference between the Cashubian dialect and other Polish dialects is much less than the difference between broad Yorkshire and English.

Poland's Open Door

Pomerania plays a very important role in the economic life of Poland. It assures the Polish nation access to the sea.

In considering Poland's sea-urge the following facts should be remembered:

1 The necessity of assuring herself indispensable raw materials and manufactured goods from abroad;
2 The need of exchanging her excess products for the above;
3 The need to use for this purpose sea ports located on Polish territory which alone can guarantee full freedom from interence;
4 The development of a merchant marine and deep sea fishery under the Polish flag and to have these harboured in Polish ports;
5 The continuance and strengthening of the contacts with her large and widely scattered emigrant colonies in countries oversea.

It is only through access to the sea that Poland can find the necessary raw materials that she needs as well as purchasers for her finished products. It is only in that direction that Poland can avoid customs barriers and transit difficulties. About 40 per cent of Poland's working class are employed in the textile industry or in the mine areas. They are obviously closely dependent on the export trade.

The fact that Pomerania separates East Prussia from the Reich does not mean to say that this is a condition which has been created by the Versailles Treaty. Such a political separation has existed for ages, with the exception of the century and a half of the partition period of Poland, or more definitely from 1772 to the Great War.

East Prussia, originally inhabited by the non-German Prussians, came into existence as a German colony as the result of its conquest by the Teutonic Knights of the Cross in the thirteenth century. The Prussian inhabitants, who belong to the same ethnographical group as the Lithuanians, were exterminated by the Teutonic Order and their places were taken by colonists brought from the interior of Germany. The name of the old non-German Prussian people was borrowed and applied to the whole of modern Prussia.

There was no organic union between East Prussia and Germany until the second half of the nineteenth century. From 1466 to 1657 it belonged as a fief to Poland. Even after securing its independence of Poland it never became a part of the old German Empire which ceased to exist in 1806. Likewise during the life of the "Deutscher Bund" federation from 1815 to 1866, East Prussia continued as a separate economic organization. It was not until 1867 that East Prussia, together with Pomerania and Poznan, was incorporated into an economic and customs union with Germany.

As to the matter of crossing foreign territory in order to reach other parts of the same country, there are clear examples of this in various parts of the world. A citizen of the United States in travelling from Buffalo to Detroit passes over Canadian territory for nearly 187 miles. A Canadian wishing to go from St. John, New Brunswick, to Ottawa crosses United States territory for 218 miles. In Switzerland a railway line and an automobile road connecting the cantons of Zurich and Schaffhausen cross German territory.

From this point of view Pomerania does not constitute a geographical exception.

Free City of Danzig

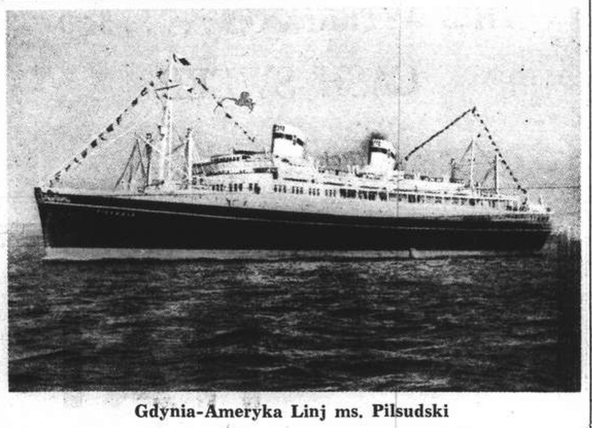
The greater part of Poland's overseas trade goes by way of the Pomeranian port of Gdynia and the Free City of Danzig. In pre-partition days Poland's principal commercial port was Danzig which, until the second partition in 1793, stood faithfully by Poland, refusing to be annexed to Prussia. It should be remembered that in pre-Great War days Danzig ranked only as a third-rate port. Her present large goods turnover and the technical equipment of her harbour testify to the facts that only after the War and only thanks to Poland was Danzig able to grow to the rank of a first-class port.

After the Great War Danzig was not incorporated into the new Polish Republic but was declared a Free City under the protection of the League of Nations. At the same time Poland was granted a number of extraordinary economic and political rights in Danzig, the most important of which are:

1 The Free City is incorporated into the customs area of the Polish Republic and is subject to the Polish customs laws;
2 Poland has equal rights with Danzig in the administration of the Danzig harbour and waterways;
3 Railways in the territory of the Free City and harbour are to be under the Polish railway administration while the long-distance railways are to belong to Poland;
4 Poland is to be the official representative of Danzig abroad;
5 The agreements presuppose the establishing of a uniform currency system;
6 Poland is to have the control and administration of postal, telegraphic and telephonic communication between Poland and the port of Danzig.

As Polish export trade began to grow it soon became evident that Danzig, the only port available within the Polish customs area, was unable to bear all the traffic directed there and it became necessary to modernize its harbour equipment and to readjust the whole commercial machine. Adaptation to this increase of maritime trade took the form of the enlargement of Danzig harbour and the building of a Polish port, Gdynia, on the Polish sea coast.

Map Showing Shipping and Transit Lines from Port of Gdynia



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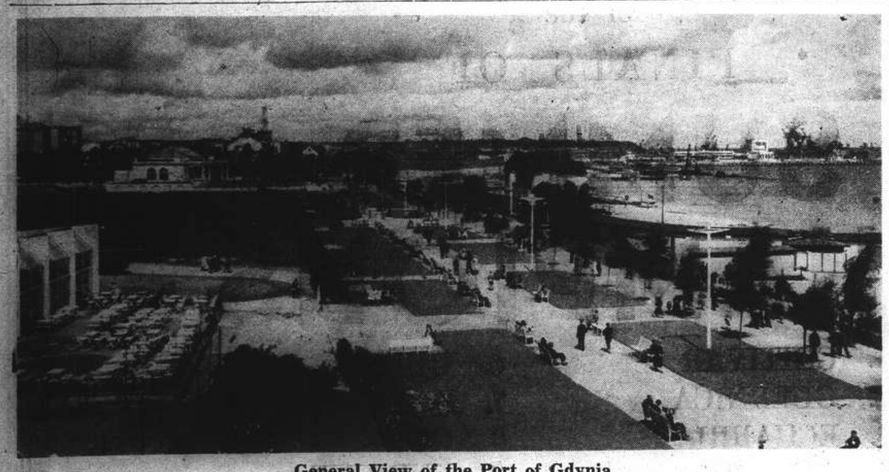

General View of the Port of Gdynia

The Importance of the Port of Gdynia

Channel of Poland's Foreign Trade and Centre of Maritime-Overland Transit

GDYNIA, port of Poland, ranks in importance immediately after Rotterdam, Hamburg and Antwerp as one of the great ports of the Continent of Europe. The reasons for the rapid development of Gdynia as a Polish port are to be found in the vital importance to Poland of sea trade and policy and in Poland's favourable geographical position between the Baltic and the Black Sea.

The Great War brought about changes in economic relations. With regard to the new Republic of Poland, trade difficulties on the eastern and western land frontiers, together with swift economic development, made it necessary to seek new markets and establish direct relations with distant countries. Poland's commercial development had to be directed on to the maritime route—the only perfectly free route for trade.

Poland's Foreign Trade

Poland, therefore, found herself faced by the necessity of creating what did not as yet exist, her own independent maritime trade, in order to render her foreign trade independent and thereby achieve general economic independence.

As a result of a wise maritime and trade policy, we see both a large, steady increase in Poland's maritime trade and an increase in the proportion of this trade to her total foreign trade. In 1922 only 7.3 per cent of Poland's foreign trade was maritime and in 1935 as much as 73.4 per cent in bulk and 62.6 in value. The rapid shifting over of Poland's foreign trade to the maritime route has resulted in an equally rapid growth of the goods turnover of the ports lying within the Polish customs frontiers, Gdynia and Danzig.

Of particular moment is the transit from the Scandinavian and Baltic States through Gdynia, Poland and Rumania to the Near and Far East. This is also the shortest and quickest route for goods traffic with the Near East for the northern and western continental ports and for Britain, and can already compete successfully with the maritime route around Europe hitherto in use. Apart from this, the shortest and most convenient route from North America to Rumania, the Baltic States, South-West Russia and the Near East leads also through Gdynia.

Poland has instituted a system of freight rates favouring routes leading through the Polish ports and a convenient system of combined international freight rates. Thanks to this, trade is swift and efficient through Gdynia and Poland between the Baltic States and the Danubian States, the Balkans and the Levant.

Poland's Sea Fleet

No less important than overland communications are regular shipping lines, especially in purely maritime transit trade. Gdynia possesses at present over fifty of these lines, connecting it up with almost 200 ports, among them almost all the principal ports of the world, and including a line to Asiatic ports.

The total tonnage of Poland's commercial sea fleet is 400,000 tons.

The following figures will give an idea of how the trade of Gdynia is going ahead:—

Year	*Import*	*Export*	*Turnover*
1926	1,646	53,925	55,571
1935	1,111,844	6,362,600	7,474,444

During 1937 the port of Gdynia handled 9,006,000 tons of goods.

There is regular communication between Gdynia and London, Hull, Leith, Grangemouth, Manchester, Liverpool (via Copenhagen), Bristol, Southampton.

Among the shipping lines in communication with North America there are the fine vessels of the Gdynia-Ameryka Linj, running to Halifax and New York via Copenhagen, of which the motor vessel Pilsudski is one.

Regular communication with Shanghai is kept up by the ships of the Blue Funnel Line.

Detailed information as to the shipping connections of the port of Gdynia can be obtained from the Gdynia Harbour Board and Chamber of Commerce who will forward ten-day timetables of sailings on request.

A Base Port

Of fundamental importance in the further commercial development of Gdynia is its recognition as a base port by various shipping conferences for trade to non-European countries. This places Gdynia with regard to freight rates on a level with the great Western European ports such as Hamburg, Rotterdam and Antwerp and in a better position than other Baltic ports.

It also implies that the additional "range" charged by the conference lines for transport over the distance from the base port is no longer taken on freights from Gdynia to a number of foreign countries, among them those in the Far East.

With regard to harbour dues Gdynia is one of the cheapest ports of the Baltic and the North Sea. The scale of dues also allows for numerous reductions and exemptions, especially for regular lines. Equally low in comparison with other ports are the dues for use of cranes and for storage in harbour warehouses.

Free Customs Zone

The opening of a free customs zone at Gdynia is proving indisputably a factor in its further development, making of it a new centre of international trade and a distributing centre for almost the whole Baltic. It offers wide possibilities for operating with cargo stored free of customs duty, monopoly dues and indirect taxation.

Another factor making for the importance of Gdynia is that it has already become a centre for the trade in cotton, jute and other raw materials for the textile trade. The trade in hides and import of hides has been furthered by the opening of a hides exchange at Antwerp and the recognition of Gdynia as arbitration centre for the trade.

The technical equipment of the harbour is completely modern. There is a large area of warehouses and special installations (such as refrigerators) for storage of large quantities of every kind of cargo. There are already 77 thoroughly efficient transhipment installations. The commercial organization of the port is, indeed, improving constantly.

Poland's Colonial Outlook

Urgent Necessity For Expansion Overseas

In view of Poland's increasing population and the need of an outlet for her people, the Polish Government is confronted with the necessity for finding suitable new lands where the excess population can settle and from which Poland can receive the raw materials needed for the expansion of heavy industries.

Poland's birth rate is the highest in Europe. Her population in 1932 was 32 millions, today it is about 36 millions. Should this increase continue there will be no room left for the immigrants who have found shelter in the country, none for political refugees who flee to Poland mainly from Germany nor for the Polish Jews who are being deported from Germany by the thousands.

Even today the Government is unable to cope with the situation arising out of the over-populated districts and towns. Thousands of political refugees live in deplorable conditions due to the lack of accommodation. This state of affairs cannot continue.

Poles Make Fine Colonists

Polish pioneers have shown themselves to be the best type of settlers for new lands and are capable of developing waste lands. In the beginning of the nineteenth century a mass withdrawal of Polish nationals from their native land to America due to political oppression helped America to develop her economic welfare by working as agriculturists, skilled technicians, etc. Wherever they settle Polish immigrants show themselves to be hard-working and enterprising. Thirty per cent of American farmers are of Polish origin.

As regards maintaining communications with colonies the Polish commercial sea fleet is capable of maintaining direct transit lines and in exchange for raw materials could provide such colonies with the necessities for the development of new lands. With the rapid development of her own seaports located on Polish territory and free from customs tariffs, Poland could cope with the situation most efficiently.

Poland's best markets for the sale and exchange of her products should naturally be her two neighbour states, Russia and Germany, which have common frontiers with her. But such markets are tremendously difficult to establish. Germany protects her agricultural interests. Russia her raw materials. So, by the nature of the case, Poland is forced to seek along the high road of the sea the raw materials that she needs as well as purchasers for her finished products.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

American Troop Retains Cup

Light Horse Beaten in Annual Polo Match by 10-5; Keswick Outstanding for British Team

By "The Chaser".

THE Hoyt Cup, played yesterday afternoon at the Race Course, resulted in an overwhelming victory for the American Troop (L. Riggio, W. H. Allman, G. W. Lacks and N. F. Allman) who trounced the Light Horse (H. A. White, E. H. Browne, J. Keswick and R. J. Elles) by ten goals to five.

The game was not as thrilling as last year's, and although it was close in the first three chukkers, there were not sufficient galloping to make it fast while the hitting was not up to the usual standard.

The Troop played indifferently in the first three chukkers. But after half time, they were masters of the situation and scored six goals in the three remaining chukkers while the Light Horse could only add two more.

The Light Horse team seemed to have an off-day and could not combine, while the Troopers, who also lacked teamwork, were hitting a much longer ball. The forwards of the Troopers, Riggio and W. H. Allman, were faster than the Light Horse and were shooting with far more accuracy, while the Light Horse had several opportunities to score but missed them.

It is difficult to say who was the best Trooper as no one was outstanding. W. H. Allman and Riggio were, however, the best goal-getters of the team. W H. Allman was responsible for five goals, while Riggio fetched three. Lacks and N. F. Allman scored one each.

Keswick Best Player

For the losers, J. Keswick was easily the best but the Troopers were aware of that and had him constantly marked. He gave his forwards several openings but through either mishitting or wild shooting, few of them were converted.

Mrs. L. R. Andrews presented the winning team with the Hoyt Cup and miniatures at the conclusion of the game, after being introduced by the President of the Club, Sir Herbert Phillips. The match was refereed by Mr. E. H. McMichael. Col. Hornby and Comte du Rivau umpired.

The Troopers drew first blood when, after two attempts, W. H. Allman sent the ball between the posts for the first goal of the match. They pressed again from the throw-in, but Keswick cleared well to send White away. Elles fouled and N. F. Allman took the free hit which White met and cleared. Light Horse rushed away with the ball a minute later, and Elles picked up Keswick's centre to score. The ball was kept in play for the next three minutes with neither side beng able to score, but when the Troopers started a concentrated attack on the Light Horse goal, they scored through W. H. Allman. Keswick took a long shot from the throw-in, hit wide by a few inches.

Play started in the second chukker with the American Troop hitting out. N. F. Allman hit out to Riggio, who lost it opposite the pavilion when the ball hit the boards. Luckily, Lacks was behind and gave the ball an almighty whack.

The ball landed near the goalmouth and Riggio put the finishing touches to tally. After a minute of play Lacks took a long shot which went behind.

Light Horse Retaliates

Pressing from the hit-out, Light Horse combined well to score through Keswick, who for a moment, was left unmarked. Shortly after the throw-in, Keswick sent White away, but the latter took a long shot which went astray by inches. N. F. Allman's hit-out went over the boards, and the chukker ended with a foul called against Lacks.

Keswick took the 60 yard free hit in the third chukker, but W. H. Allman met it. White got on to the ball and hit it behind. American Troop fouled and Light Horse were awarded a 40 yard free hit with which Keswick made no mistake. From the throw-in, W. H. Allman rushed the ball down the field along the boards, and shooting from a sharp angle, hit behind. The hit-out resulted in a melee, and Lacks managed to put the ball through to give the Troopers a lead of one goal.

After half time, the Troopers came out with renewed spirit and had most of play and scored twice during the chukker.

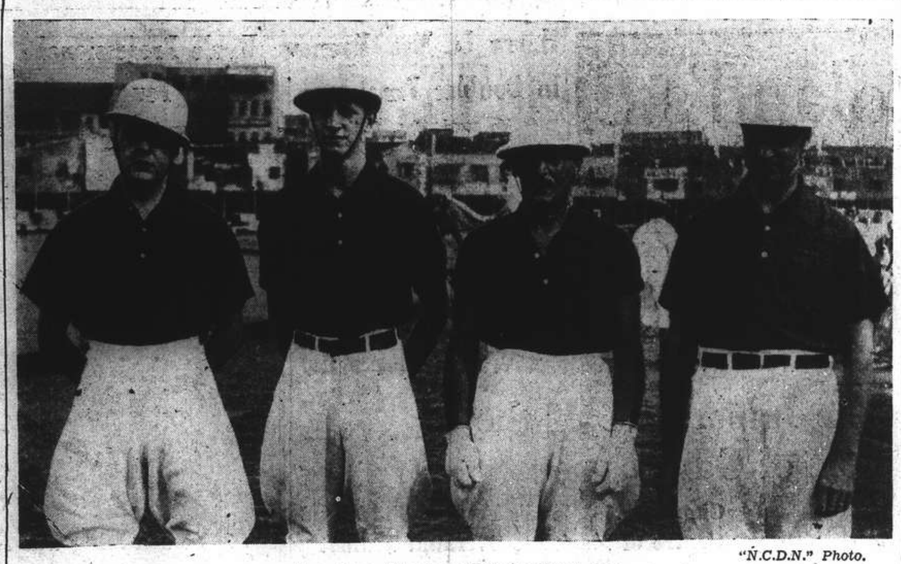
Both Elles and Keswick put up sterling work in clearing the repeated attacks. They were, however, beaten towards the close of the chukker, when Keswick missed and left the ball standing for W. H. Allman to pass to Riggio, who scored. From the throw-in, the Troopers were back again and after several attempts, N. F. Allman scored.

Troopers Score Again

The Troopers were quickly away in the fifth chukker and through the combination of W. H. Allman and Riggio the Troopers accounted for another goal. The Troopers continued to press but W. H. Allman hit wide. Pressing again, W. H. Allman's shot at goal hit White's pony. Lacks fouled and Keswick took the 40 yard free hit but nothing resulted.

Light Horse missed a golden opportunity to score when Keswick sent White away, but the latter missed after carrying the ball to the goalmouth. A moment later, Browne's shot, which seemed to be headed straight for goal, was blocked by White's pony. Towards the close of the chukker, the Troopers attacked and W. H. Allman scored with a difficult shot.

The Light Horse tried desperately to reduce the score after W. H. Allman had scored again for the Troop. They succeeded in scoring twice. The first was through Keswick when he took a 50 yard free hit for a foul committed by the American Troop in their goalmouth. The second goal was scored by White on the combined efforts of the team. Before the close of the game W. H. Allman added another when he got away with the ball.



"N.C.D.N." Photo.

American Troopers Retain Hoyt Cup

The American Troop scored a decisive win yesterday against the Light Horse in the annual match for the Hoyt Cup when they won by 10 goals to 5. Both teams did not appear at their best and the match was rather poor compared to that of last year. Members of the winning team, seen above, are:—L. Riggio, W. H. Allman, G. W. Lacks and N. F. Allman.

Weakened Police XI Bows to Colts

Pat Madar Scores 59 in Chanceless Knock; Long Stand with Quincey

Handsomely beating a weakened Police side by seven wickets on the Police ground yesterday afternoon, the Reos Colts gained their first league victory of the season in more than convincing fashion. Batting first, the Police early on appeared assured of a good total, but the tail end broke down rather badly once again and although the century mark was passed for the loss of only four wickets the entire team was retired for 131, Kellner doing the most damage with his fast off-breaks.

Gash played a splendid innings for the Police after a shaky start and was undefeated at the end after batting for over eight minutes.

The Colts had half-an-hour's batting before tea, but did not do well. After the interval, Pat Madar and Quincey played very well indeed and never offering a chance, made the game safe for the Recs.

Pitts and Fairbairn opened for the Police and put on 41 in quick style before Fairbairn was bowled neck and crop by the first ball that Kellner delivered. Pitts soon followed, being judged run out on a doubtful decision.

Promising Stand Broken

Barton and Gash then batted well after a slow start and seemed to be in for a big stand, but just as runs were coming along nicely, Barton had a "go" at Kellner and completely missed the ball to be clean bowled.

Peasgood remained for a fair time but was run out following a misunderstanding with his partner who was now seeing the ball really well. Watson made a few good strokes but was finally beaten by a ball that hung in the air, the bowler being Kliene.

Following his dismissal, a rot set in and the side was finally retired for only 131, Gash having contributed a patient and valuable 41 not out, his principal scoring strokes being four boundaries, which came as the result of shots in front of the wicket.

Batting for nearly 30 minutes before tea, the Colts were soon in trouble, Leriou and H. P. Madar being dismissed at square-leg by Watson who held two good catches off Pitts' bowling. His effort to retire Madar was brilliant, a full-blooded drive being cleanly held a dozen yards or so from the wicket. The score at this stage of the game was 19 for 2 and tea was taken.

Police Back Bowlers

Resuming after the interval, Pat Madar and Quincey made light of the attack opposing them and slowly but surely the score increased. The Police were greatly handicapped by virtue of the fact that none of their first-string bowlers was available and in consequence, they paid the penalty.

Quincey finally left at 94 by the lbw. route after a good innings of 36, which included one five and three fours, while the skipper, joined by Dunne, attacked the bowling with more persistence and finally saw his efforts rewarded when the winning run was made.

He was undefeated at the close with 59 to his credit, his chief shots being nine fours. He never gave the slightest semblance of a chance and played a thoroughly fine innings when such was needed.

Police C.C.

F. A. Pitts, run out	22
J. E. Fairbairn, b. Kellner	21
S. V. Gash, not out	41
A. C. Barton, b. Kellner	17
F. Peasgood, run out	2
J. M. Watson, b. Kliene	10
T. H. Darvill, b. Kellner	0
F. W. Bader, run out	3
C. J. Merritt, b. Kellner	0
J. R. Dudley, c. H. P. Madar, b. P. Madar	2
D. E. Crank, b. P. Madar	1
Extras	7
Total	131

Fall of Wickets:—1-41 (Fairbairn), 2-43 (Pitts), 3-73 (Barton), 4-93 (Peasgood), 5-109 (Watson), 6-110 (Darvill), 7-120 (Bader), 8-120 (Merritt) 9-129 (Dudley), 10-131 (Crank).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Khene	7	2	36	1
Marcal	2	0	18	0
Kellner	11	3	42	4
P. Madar	7	0	28	2

Kellner bowled one wide.

S.R.C. Colts

J. Leriou, c. Watson, b. Pitts	7
H. P. Madar, c. Watson, b. Pitts	8
L. P. Quincey, l.b.w., b. Dudley	36
P. Madar, not out	59
P. O. Dunne, not out	17
L. Marcal, T. J. Allan, J. H. Anderson, E. B. Cumine, A. A. Khene and F. F. Kellner, did not bat	—
Extras	5
Total (for three wckts)	132

Fall of Wickets:—1-7 (Leriou), 2-19 (H. P. Madar), 3-94 (Quincey).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Peasgood	8	0	35	0
Pitts	8	0	50	2
Dudley	3	0	22	1
Watson	4	0	20	0

Jimmy Foxx Ill

Boston, June 29.

Jimmy Foxx, slugging first baseman of the Boston Red Sox who is suffering from a stomach disorder, was in St. Elizabeth's Hospital here with a temperature of 99 degrees today.—United Press.

Third Round of Women's Singles

Wimbledon, June 30.

The third round of the Women's Singles resulted as follows:— Miss Katherine Stammers (Great Britain) beat Miss Nana Brown by 6-2, 6-2. Mrs. Svend Sperling (Germany) beat Miss Diana Wood, from Devonshire, by 6-3, 6-1. —Reuter.

Vander Meer Ordered Off by Umpire

Chicago Pitcher Loses Argument on Walk

New York, June 30.

Gabby Hartnett's Chicago Cubs took another slice today out of the National League baseball lead held by the Cincinnati Reds.

The veteran Charlie Root, usually a relief pitcher, kept eight Cincinnati hits well scattered and took credit for Chicago's 5-1 victory.

The Cubs got only four hits, but profited from nine walks issued by Johnny Vander Meer and Lloyd Moore. Moore took over the pitching duties in the second inning, when four free passes forced in one Cub run and a hit accounted for another. The Cubs tallied three more in the eighth inning.

Vander Meer bitterly protested the umpire's decision on the fourth walk, and the umpire replied by chasing him from the park.

The other National League games were rained out.

In the American League, Buck Newsom pitched the Detroit Tigers to a 3-1 victory over Chicago.

The Tigers tallied two runs in the first inning when Barney McCoskey and Pete Fox singled. Mike Thresh threw wild into the outfiled while trying to nail McCoskey off second. McCoskey scored and then Luke Appling fumbled Earl Averill's grounder, enabling Fox to score.

The New York Yankees got even with Washington, 10-2, in a game held to seven innings by rain. Bob Rolfe clouted a triple in the third inning with Babe Dahlgren on base, and before the inning was over the Yanks had chalked up five runs on three hits.

The Browns-Indians game in Cleveland was rained out.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	1	8	2
Chicago	5	4	1

Batteries: Vander Meer, Moore and Lombardi, Hershberger; Root and Hartnett.

American League

Chicago	1	8	2
Detroit	3	6	0

Batteries: Rigney and Tresh, Newsom and Tebbetts.

New York	10	13	1
Washington	2	4	0

Batteries: Hildebrand and Dickey; Carrasquel, Krakauskas and R. Ferrell. —United Press.

Netherland XI to Visit England

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

The Hague, July 1.

The Netherland Football Association today accepted the invitation of the English Football Association to play against England, in an international match on November 8, on the ground of the Sheffield Wednesdays.—Reuter.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Ah Liang; 2, Sandals.
Also ran:—Fearless Foe, State Lottery, Shadow, Young Lover.
½ length.—Time, 27.12.
Win, $54.80. Forecast (6-4) Div. $152.20.
Place, 1st $13.60; 2nd $15.00.

2—500 yd. flat.—1, Marietta; 2, Wild Girl.
Also ran:—Arrow, Dah Chong, Wallfish, Pearl's Fancy.
1½ length.—Time, 30.67.
Win, $26.30. Forecast (2-1) Div. $63.70.
Place, 1st $11.70; 2nd $8.60.
Double Event 1/2 (6-2) Div. $58.40.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Slippery Sam; 2, Wild Wind.
Also ran:—Mierette, Vanity Fair, Gator, Princeton.
Short head.—Time, 31.64.
Win, $21.40. Forecast (4-6) Div. $115.20.
Place, 1st $11.20; 2nd $14.90.
Double Event 2/3 (2-4) Div. $56.10.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Irish Molly; 2, Rio Queen.
Also ran:—Peony, Shenkoland II, Careless Lady, Lucky Jim.
1½ length.—Time, 30.36.
Win, $13.90. Forecast (2-3) Div. $140.60.
Place, 1st $8.80; 2nd $15.90.
Double Event 3/4 (4-2) Div. $29.40.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Blue Troy; 2, Diamond Queen.
Also ran:—Erin Beau, Wilful Bill, Delicious Bean, Mad Jack.
Short head.—Time, 30.14.
Win, $11.10. Forecast (3-1) Div. $40.40.
Place, 1st 7.40; 2nd $10.80.
Double Event 4/5 (2-3) Div. $12.00.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Monitor; 2, Belle O'The Ball.
Also ran:—Luhai Lily, Talisman, Apollo II, Chihli Black Dove.
7 lengths.—Time, 30.08.
Win, $8.80. Forecast (6-2) Div. $68.50.
Place, 1st $7.30; 2nd $19.90.
Double Event 5/6 (-6) Div. $7.00.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Lady Swift; 2, High Brow.
Also ran:—Erin Hero, Maid of Morven, Grumpy, Future Pal.
1 length.—Time, 30.55.
Win, $22.00. Forecast (3-2) Div. $153.90.
Place, 1st $12.70; 2nd $21.90.
Double Event 6/7 (6-3) Div. $14.20.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Good Wicket; 2, Master Zeb.
Also ran:—Pearlman, Mad Dale, Tamerlane, Our Delight.
1½ length.—Time, 29.81.
Win, $28.20. Forecast (4-6) Div. $147.30.
Place, 1st $13.50; 2nd $11.00.
Double Event 7/8 (3-4) Div. 78.20.

9—525 yd. flat.—1, Double Six; 2, Big Shot.
Also ran:—Swanee, Talgai Junior, Jackie's Lady, China Pearl.
1 length.—Time, 31.39.
Win, $39.30. Forecast (4-6) Div. $191.10.
Place, 1st $14.80; 2nd $12.20.
Double Event 8/9 (4-4) Div. $97.60.

10—525 yd. flat.—1 Alton Classic; 2, Lavondale.
Also ran:—Loughton, Glenapp, Irish Lover, Hopalong.
1½ length.—Time, 30.88
Win, $17.40. Forecast (1-3) Div. $70.80.
Place, 1st $8.30; 2nd $9.60.
Double Event 9/10 (4-1) Div. $48.30.

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Combined Navy Extends Marines

Sailors Hold Marines to 2-2 for Seven Innings Only to Lose by 6-3

Putting up a combined team to represent the U.S. Navy for the first time this season, the U.S.S. Luzon and the U.S.S. Oahu gave a creditable performance yesterday afternoon against the Second Battalion on the Race Course diamond in a City Baseball League game. The sailors held the "Leathernecks" to a 2-all deadlock for seven innings but Pitcher Kussin loosened up in the eighth frame to allow four runs to be scored on two singles, a base on balls and a triple.

Bolding, who twirled for the Second Battalion, struck out a dozen batsmen, yielded six safeties and walked three men. Kussin's display was four strike-outs, seven hits and two free passes.

The Navy team was the first to tally through McMullen, who led off and walked first. Walters singled over second before Kussin lined a fast shot towards left field to send McMullen home for the opening run.

Errors on the part of Shortstop Wagers and Catcher Jordon enabled the Marines to overtake the sailors. Beeson led off in the second inning and easily reached first base when Wagers made a wild throw to first. After Duncan had grounded out, Winchester lammed out a sharp single to left to push Beeson across for the tieing run. Winchester afterwards scored when Jordon made a bad peg to third in trying to nab the runner.

Navy Ties Score

In the sixth frame, the Navy squad deadlocked the score at 2-2 as Fields countered to put the score after two teammates had been whiffed.

All the excitement died when Kussin weakened in the fatal eighth. Caldwell led off with a single through the pitcher's box out to centre field. Bolding followed suit with a similar shot. Fairchild walked and the bases were full. Up came Nowajeck who smacked the ball between centre and right for a perfect three-base wallop and cleaned the bags.

The Marines chalked up a fourth tally through Beeson, who walked, stole second and came home on Duncan's fielder's choice.

In the latter half of this inning Walters reduced arrears for the Navy on errors by Third Baseman Drew and Bolding. In the ninth, the winners nearly forged further ahead as they had the bases loaded twice. Kussin, however, pulled himself together and got out of critical position.

First Battalion

	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Fairchild, cf.	4	1	0	1	1	0
Nowajeck, rf.	5	0	1	1	1	0
Drew, 3b.	3	0	0	3	1	2
Beeson, 1b.	3	2	0	9	0	0
Duncan, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Winchester, ss.	4	1	2	3	2	0
Dingwall, 2b.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Caldwell, c.	3	1	2	10	3	0
Bolding, p.	4	1	2	0	3	1
	34	6	7	27	13	3

U. S. Navy

McMullen, 3b.	2	1	0	1	3	1
Walters, 1b.	4	1	1	16	1	0
Kussin, p.	4	0	1	0	3	0
Houser, 2b.	4	0	0	2	5	0
Fields, cf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
La France, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Wagers, ss.	4	0	1	1	3	1
Jordon, c.	4	0	1	8	2	1
Burks, lf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
	33	3	6	27	17	3

Score by innings:—

Second Battalion	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	—6
U.S. Navy	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	—3

Earned runs—Second Battalion, 4, U.S. Navy 1. Stolen bases—Beeson, Winchester, McMullen, Jordon. Runs batted in—Nowajeck 3, Winchester, Kussin. Three base hits—Nowajeck. First on balls—Kussin 2, Bolding 3. Struck out—Kussin 4, Bolding 12. Left on bases—Second Battalion 5, U.S. Navy 5. Wild pitches—Bolding, Kussin. Passed balls—Jordon 3, Caldwell 2.

Plate umpire: Cushman. Base umpire: Morang.

Time of game: 1 hour 50 minutes.

Jack Dempsey Seriously Ill After Operation

New York, July 1.

Jack Dempsey, one of the greatest heavyweight fighters the world has ever known, was fighting his hardest battle here today in an effort to recover from an appendix operation performed on him last night.

Fighting with his old courage, Dempsey was given a 50-50 chance to live last night and his physicians said the next 72 hours would be critical.

Dempsey is suffering from peritonitis following the removal of a gangrenous appendix. He spent a fair night last night and was resting comfortably this morning but his physicians said he was "a very sick man."

His temperature last night was 108.2, his pulse 82 and his respiration 24.—United Press.

Bobby Harman Loses

Haverford, Pa., June 29.

Bobby Harman of the University of California lost to Chester Murphy of Chicago U. in the quarter-finals of the national inter-collegiate tennis championships today.—United Press.

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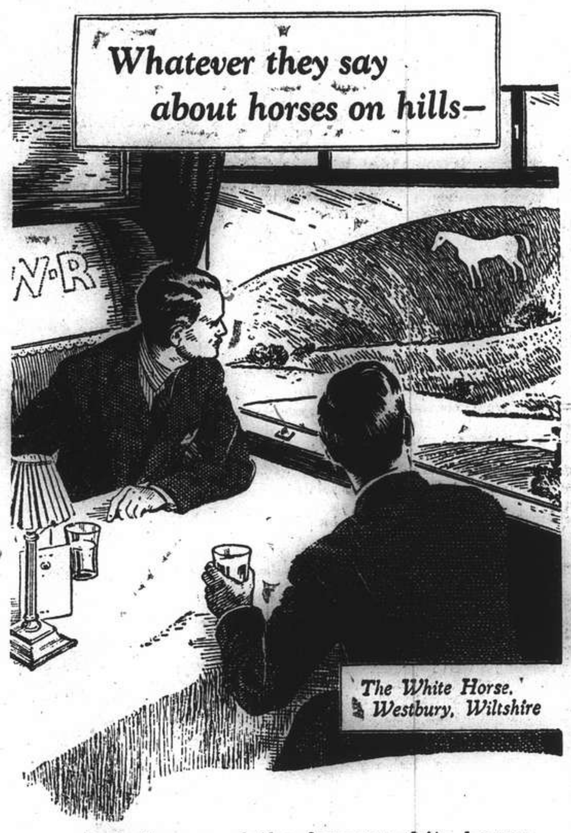

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SWEEP DRAWING AFTER CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT

Wanderers in Cricket Upset

Club Side Holds Powerful Shaforce to Draw in Exciting Match; Another Good Innings by Cole

IN the biggest upset witnessed in the League this season, the S. C. C. Wanderers were able to force a draw with the powerful Shaforce XI on the S.C.C. ground yesterday afternoon, thereby robbing their opponents of two most valuable points.

The Wanderers, once despised as a poor bowling side, but now, on the performances of their last three matches, reckoned as one of the best of Shanghai teams, might have even caused a greater upset had their earlier batsmen gone for their runs a little quicker.

The first 100 coming very slowly, therefore forcing the tailenders to hit out recklessly in an effort to improve the total in order to give their attack a chance to retire their opponents, who are none too easy to dispose of at the best of times.

The Club side knocked up 175 and retired five of their opponents for 70, but a splendid stand for Shaforce between Cole and Jones for the sixth wicket saved the day for the Services and the visitors were definitely in a stronger position when stumps were drawn with the dismissal of Cole at 6.45 p.m.

The feature of the day's play was a brilliant innings by Capt. Cole. He batted 2¼ hours for a faultless 89, which were scored out of 140 and he himself was on the field the entire afternoon. He never gave the slightest chance and looked well set for his century when he was finally out l.b.w. to Jenkins in the gathering dusk. He made his runs all round the wicket, and though he only reached the boundary on six occasions, he never seemed in any difficulty until well past 80, when the light became very trying.

Club Attack Strong

His innings was particularly a fine one since both "Stoker" Jenkins and Pearson were keeping a beautiful length and were most difficult to put away with any degree of success. They sent down 25 overs between them, from which only 84 runs were scored—a good indication of the power of the attack.

Dean was soon bowled by Sadler when the Wanderers began their innings, but Simpson and Knight batted well for the second partnership, the left-hander showing up well once again, although both were inclined to be rather slow in their tactics. Simpson was eventually caught out for a patient 28, which took him 71 minutes to compile, but Cantopher left at the same total for a "duck." Jenkins and Knight then played themselves in, and after getting set, scored at an appreciably faster rate.

They added 76 for the third wicket before Knight had his stumps disturbed by Dixon after a praiseworthy innings of 36. Jenkins then went for the attack and reached his fifty after being at the crease for 50 minutes. He was finally caught by Maclagan off Cheney for a delightful 59, which included five fours and one six. He gave one possible chance at 15 but otherwise played faultlessly.

Five Wickets for 21

With his dismissal at 154, the remainder of the side hit out at everything in an effort to beat the clock and soon fell victims to Sadler who began to bowl slow spinners. The last five wickets were taken in 22 minutes for 21 runs, Sadler returning the useful analysis of five wickets for 49 runs in 16 overs.

Shaforce had 129 minutes in which to get the runs necessary for victory, but with three wickets down for only 30, it became manifest to all present that safer tactics would have to be employed if a draw was to be made, let alone a win.

Sadler and Cole put on 40 for the fourth partnership, at which total the former was smartly stumped by Lawrance. Major Eynon failed and it was left to Cole, who was batting extremely well, and Jones to double the score for the next wicket before Cole eventually put his leg in front of a straight one from Jenkins.

With his dismissal, stumps were drawn and a match that threatened to end most interestingly petered out, each side taking one point.

S. C. C. Wanderers

A. V. T. Dean, b. Sadler	7
P. V. Simpson, c. Cole, b. Cheney	28
T. C. G. Knight, b. Dixon	36
P. G. A. Cantopher, b. Cheney	0
J. C. Jenkins, c. Maclagan, b. Sadler	59
F. E. T. Marshall, not out	14
T. C. G. Pearson, b. Sadler	0
L. T. Lawrance, b. Cheney	6
M. E. Hewlett, b. Sadler	3
S. A. Tremlett, b. Sadler	0
F. J. Knightly, l.b.w., b. Sadler	0
Extras	22
Total	175

Fall of Wickets:—1-20 (Dean), 2-58 (Simpson), 3-58 (Cantopher), 4-136 (Knight), 5-154 (Jenkins), 6-155 (Pearson), 7-170 (Lawrance), 8-175 (Hewlett), 9-175 (Tremlett), 10-175 (Knightly).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Sadler	16	2	49	6
Plumb	8	1	28	0
Cheney	8	0	40	3
Dixon	7	0	36	1

Shaforce

Capt. Cole, l.b.w., b. Jenkins	89
Sgt. Hamlen, c. Jenkins, b. Knight	4
Capt. Grey, b. Knight	0
Lieut. Maclagan, run out	1
Sgt. Sadler, st. Lawrance, b. Pearson	16
Maj. Eynon, b. Pearson	0
Sgt. Jones, not out	21
Cpl. Cheney, did not bat	—
Cpl. Russell, did not bat	—
Sgt. Plumb, did not bat	—
Sgt. Dixon, did not bat	—
Extras	9
Total (for six wckts)	140

Fall of Wickets:—1-24 (Hamlen), 2-24 (Grey), 3-30 (Maclagan), 4-70 (Sadler), 5-70 (Eynon), 6-140 (Cole).

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Jenkins	14.1	0	49	1
Pearson	11	2	34	2
Knight	7	0	34	2
Tremlett	3	0	14	0

Knight bowled one no-ball.

Indian Champion In Quarter-Finals

Hungarian No. 1 Beaten By Ghaus Mohammed in Long Five-Set Duel

London, June 30.

Ghaus Mohammed, the Indian champion, scored a great victory in the fourth round of the Men's Singles today over the Hungarian No. 1, O. Szigeti, to earn the distinction of playing in the quarter-finals.

He triumphed after a five-set duel that lasted for two hours and 15 minutes, by the score of 6-4, 14-16, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4, recovering exceptionally well to win the last two sets. The marathon second set took a good deal out of both players.

Among those who entered the last eight in the Men's Singles were Eugene Smith, the "giant-killer" of the present series, Henner Henkel, the German No. 1 and F. Puncec, the Yugoslav No. 1.

Smith again displayed great form, taking the measure of E. Gabory, the Hungarian No. 2, in straight sets by 6-0, 6-4, 6-3.

Henner Henkel's victory over the French veteran, Jacques Brugnon, was most impressive. He disposed of the French Davis Cup player, who is ranked No. 1 in France, in straight sets, 6-1, 6-3, 6-0, losing only four games.

Hungary's Unlucky Day

Hungary had a most unlucky day today, for in addition to Szigeti and Gabory, their woman champion Fraulein Somogyi was beaten in the third round of the Women's Singles by the French champion, Mme. Mathieu.

The Frenchwoman was in superb form in the first set, which she won to love. Fraulein Somogyi rallied well to take the second set 8-6, but lost the third by 6-3.

The Hungarian challenge was completely overcome when the last of her players, J. Asboth and M. Csikos, lost in the second round of the men's doubles to C. E. Hare and F.H.D. Wilde, the British Davis Cup players.

Miss Huntbach Beaten

Miss Huntbach, conqueror of the Chinese player, Miss Gem Hoahing, lost in the third round of the Women's Singles to Mrs. Sarah Fabyan, by 6-2, 6-3.

The strong American combination of Miss Alice Marble and Bobby Riggs continued to make good progress in the Mixed Doubles. They entered the fourth round today when they accounted for the British team of Filby and Miss Whitmarsh, by 6-0, 6-3.

Men's Singles (4th Round)

Ghaus Mohammed (India) beat O. Szigeti (Hungary) 6-4, 14-16, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Eugene Smith (U.S.A.) beat E. Gabory (Hungary) 6-0, 6-4, 6-3.

Henner Henkel (Germany) beat J. Brugnon (France) 6-1, 6-3, 6-0.

F. Puncec (Yugoslavia) beat Russell (Argentine), 6-3, 8-6, 6-1.

Women's Singles (3rd Round)

Mrs. Sarah Fabyan (U.S.A.) beat Miss Huntbach (Britain) 6-2, 6-3.

Mme. Nathieu (France) beat Fraulein Somogyi (Hungary) 6-0, 6-8 6-3.

Mme. Halff (France) beat Mrs. Nancy Lyle Glover (Britain) 6-3, 4-6, 6-1.

Men's Doubles (2nd Round)

C. E. Hare and F.H.D. Wilde (Britain) beat J. Asboth and M. Csikos (Hungary) 8-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Collins and Tinkler (Britain) beat Dallos and Pallada (Yugoslavia) 4-6, 3-6, 7-5, 7-5, 6-2.

Olliff and Shayes (Britain) beat Emmett and Nicholl (Britain) 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles (2nd Round)

Cooper and Miss Dearman (Britain) beat A. Baworowski and Mlle. Jedrzejowska (Poland) 8-2, 6-3.

Donald McNeill (U.S.A.) and Miss Kay Stammers (Britain) beat Gulcz and Miss Dietz 14-12, 6-3.

Nicholl and Miss Betty Nuthall (Britain) beat Morrison and Mrs. Uber (Britain) 8-6, 6-0.—Reuter.

Arrangements for July Fourth Ball Game

U.S. Consul-General Gauss To Pitch First Ball

Preparations for the annual Fourth of July baseball game between the Civilians and the Marines have been completed, according to an announcement issued yesterday by W. O. Krause, honorary secretary of the Shanghai American Amateur Athletic Association.

Official guests and Patrons will be seated in the section immediately behind the home plate in front of the press box. Members and complimentary ticket holders will be seated in a part of the stands parallel to the first base foul line and on benches in the caterer's shed.

Marine enlisted personnel and the general public will be accommodated in the major portion of the stands flanking the first base foul line.

Entrances will be the same as at present in use. Official guests, Patrons, members and Complimentary ticket holders will enter through the caterer's shed while others will use the entrance at the far end of the stands.

The game will begin at 3 p.m. Mr. C. E. Gauss, American Consul-General will pitch the first ball. Colonel J. S. Fagan, Commanding Officer of the Fourth U.S. Marines will make the first catch and Judge M. J. Helmick, U.S. Court for China, will act as umpire behind the plate.

Britain's Young Hope Wins

Miss Jean Nicholl, Britain's young tennis hope, seen in action in the semi-finals of the St. George's Tennis tournament at Weybridge. She met Miss Betty Nuthall in the final, which she won. Miss Nicholl, who is only 16 years old, has been Junior Champion for three years in succession. Playing in the Wimbledon Championship at present in progress in London for the first time, she was accorded the honour of being seeded.

Five Runs in First Inning Give Amateurs Easy Win

Civilians Beat Headquarters Troop 8-4 to Retain Runner-Up Berth in City Baseball League

GATHERING five runs, four of them unearned, in the first inning, the Shanghai Amateurs succeeded in taking the measure of the Headquarters Troop on the Race Course yesterday by a score of eight runs to four, thereby retaining the runners-up position with three victories out of six starts, in the city Baseball League.

Shortstop Bitto's mistake in booting Schaberg's grounder at the very beginning of the game was responsible for offsetting the fine work of Pitcher "Casanova" Wells, who after fanning Brown, issued two free passes in succession to Ward and Krause and permitted the bases to be fully loaded. Schaberg was retired at home on Bernard's fielder's choice, but Ward countered the first tally when Wells gave a third walk to Fielden.

Once trouble started, the "Orphans" had no means to stop it. Bernard ran home and when Wells made a wild throw to third, both Fielden and Riley dashed across the rubber to build up a 5-run lead.

In the second inning, the Amateurs in turn had their bad spell when Krause booted Wells' bingle. Williams was hit by Huebner's pitched ball. Evans struck out before Wells was nabbed at third in trying to steal. Williams reached second on Burch's fielder's choice and took to third when Shibley clubbed a ground shot through the pitcher's box. A passed ball by Petterson enabled Williams to trot over the plate.

Amateurs Increase Lead

Two down in the fourth inning, Huebner safely reached first when Second Baseman Kelly allowed a ground shot to go between his legs. Schaberg dropped a pop fly over second. Brown walked to fill the bases. Ward swung at a fast one and belted past second into centre field. The length of this drive sent in Huebner and Schaberg.

The "Orphans" gained their fourth and last run in the sixth frame when Evans was hit by a pitched ball and dashed home on a pretty two-base bingle by Burch. Riley made a fine run to stop the batter from advancing beyond second base.

In the second half of the eighth, the Amateurs chalked up one more run through Huebner, who went second on Shortstop Duffrey's wild peg to first. Duffrey replaced Bitto in the sixth frame. A slashing shot by Ward towards left scored Huebner.

Headquarters

	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Rozier, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Miller, ph.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Kelly, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2	1
Bitto, ss.	2	1	0	1	0	1
Duffrey, ss.	1	0	0	2	0	1
Sonnenberg, c.	4	1	1	9	0	1
Wells, p.	4	0	1	0	4	1
Williams, lf.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Evans, 3b.	2	1	0	1	0	2
Baham, ph.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chaney, 3b.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burch, 1b.	4	0	1	6	0	0
Shibley, cf.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Malner, ph.	1	0	0	0	0	0
	34	4	7	27	6	7

Amateurs

	AB	R	1B	PO	A	E
Schaberg, ss.	5	1	1	0	4	1
Brown, rf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Ward, 2b.	4	1	3	1	1	0
Krause, 3b.	4	1	0	2	1	1
Bernard, cf.	4	1	0	2	0	0
Fielden, 1b.	3	1	1	10	1	0
Riley, lf.	4	1	1	3	0	0
Patterson, c.	4	0	0	5	2	1
Huebner, p.	4	2	1	1	4	0
	36	8	7	24	13	3

Score by innings:—

Headquarters	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4
Amateurs	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	X	—8

Earned runs—Headquarters 2, Amateurs 2. Stolen bases—Sonnenberg, Schaberg, Ward, Riley. Sacrifice hits—Kelly. Runs batted in—Williams, Ward 3, Riley 2. Two base hits—Burch. First on balls—Huebner, Wells 4. Struck out—Huebner 6, Wells 6. Left on bases—Headquarters 9, Amateurs 6. Wild pitches—Huebner. Passed balls—Patterson 3. Hit by pitcher—Williams and Evans by Huebner. Plate umpire: Morang. Base umpire: Cushman.

Time of game: 1 hour 50 minutes.

Harry Li, Mrs. Krenov In Doubles Final

Mr. and Mrs. Collaco Are Beaten in Two Sets

Defeating H. C. Collaco and Mrs. T. Collaco on the Cercle Sportif Francais court yesterday in straight sets by 6-4 and 6-1, H. K. F. Li and Mrs. B. Krenov have successfully completed all preliminary rounds in the Shanghai Mixed Doubles Championship and will now meet the winners of the opposite bracket in the final, which is to be played off next week-end.

Li and his partner took the lead when the former won on his serve in the opening game. The ultimate winners maintained a one-game advantage until after 4-all. The two Collacos put up a staunch fight as they tied the score on no less than four occasions. After Li had won his third service game and led by 5-4 the Portuguese team broke down to allow the set to be finished in their opponents' favour.

Both sides played cautiously in the opening set and aimed to out-place one another rather than to take aggressive measures at the net. Several of the games, however, were won to love.

In the second set, the leaders showed distinct superiority. They allowed the score to be tied only once, at 1-all. After this, Li and Mrs. Krenov bagged one game after another and won decisively.

German Wins Riding

Amsterdam, July 1.

The "Fortuna" Cup of the international riding tournament was won yesterday by the German Cavalry Captain Brinckmann on "Baron." The Irish Major O. Dwyer on "Limerick" came in second while the third place was taken by the German Cavalry Captain Kurt Hasse on Aland.—Trans-Ocean.

World Professional Tennis Tournament

Donald Budge, Vines and Tilden Win in Paris

Paris, June 30.

Donld Budge, William "Big Bill" Tilden and Ellsworth T. Vines today emerged victorious in preliminary matches in the professional tennis championship tournament now being contested here.

Budge experienced little difficulty in beating Hissault of France in straight sets by 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.

Vines extended himself only in the first set against Ramillon, of France, whom he defeated by 11-9, 6-2, 6-4.

Tilden, however, staged a ding-dong battle with Cochet, one of the French "Musketeers" of other days, and won by a close margin after five thrilling sets.

The scores were 3-6, 9-7, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5.

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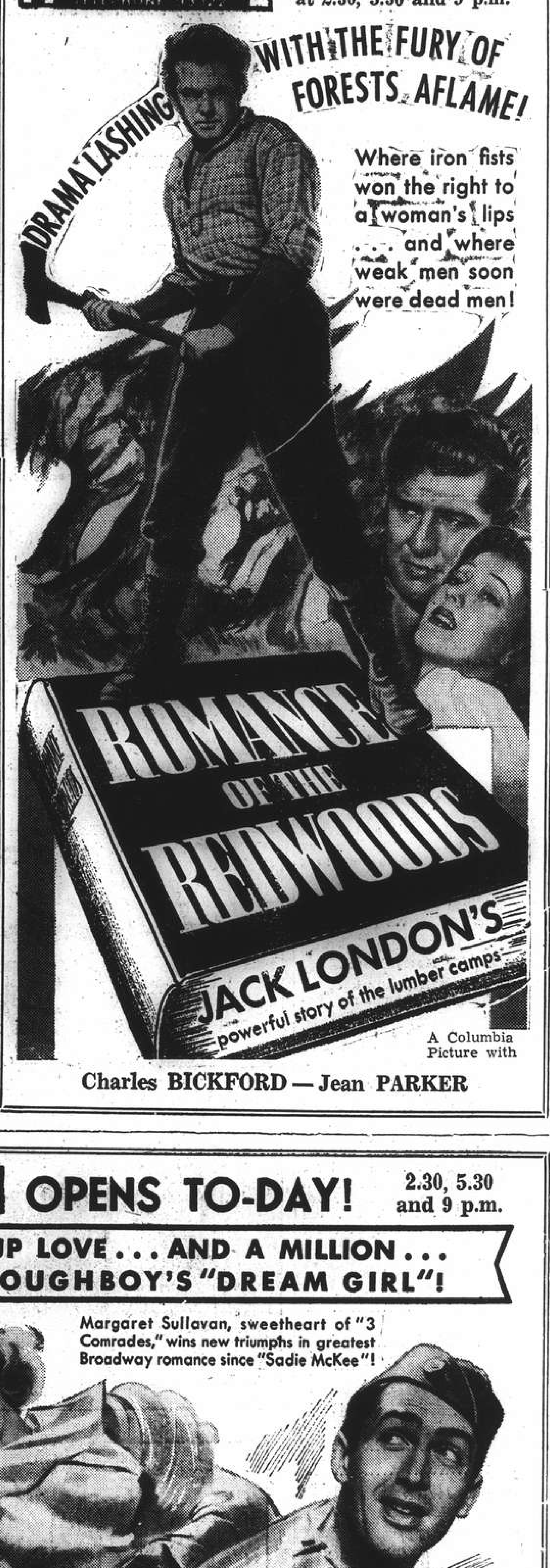

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Clube Lusitano's Field Day

Portuguese Lawn Bowlers Display Superiority Over S.J.G.C.; Reds Resist Police Challenge

BEATING the Police on their own rinks by 67 shots to 58, the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club Reds successfully resisted their rivals' challenge to remain in the runner-up position in the First Division. Their Club-mates, the Blues, also won, beating the Country Club by 68 shots to 50, playing away, to retain their lead.

The Yangtzepoo Bowling Club, in spite of losing to the Recs, climbed to third place in the First Division over the Police, as the latter lost by 4-1, while they were beaten 3-2.

The biggest surprise in the senior Division yesterday was the impressive victory scored by Clube Lusitano over the Shanghai Junior Golf Club, whom they beat by 81 shots to 55, winning on all three rinks.

It was altogether a most successful day for the Portuguese club yesterday, as their Second Division team duplicated the good work of their seniors, taking the measure of the S.J.G.C. by the handsome score of 92 shots to 33.

With the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club also winning full points from the Recs, the Second Division championship seems to lie between the two winners.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

First Division

	Points	Shots		Points	Shots
S.L.B.C. Reds	(4)	67	Police	(1)	58
Country Club	(1)	50	S.L.B.C. Blues	(4)	68
Yangtzepoo	(2)	50	Recs	(3)	55
Junior G.C.	(0)	55	Clube Lusitano	(5)	81

Second Division

Recs	(0)	55	Yangtzepoo	(5)	70
Lusitano	(5)	92	Junior G.C.	(0)	33

FIRST DIVISION

Reds Beat Police

The Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club Reds strengthened their position at second place in the First Division on their own greens yesterday when they defeated their closest rivals, the Police, by 67 shots to 58. As the close score will indicate, it was a very even match on the whole, though the individual rink scores were one-sided.

S. Wilkinson's four did extremely well to beat the good team of W. J. Monk, A. M. McGregor, G. Hornbrook and F. J. Drakeford by 27 shots to 15, winning by 12 shots.

The Reds, however, won the two other rinks handsomely, both by a margin of 11 shots.

T. S. Parry's four beat A. S. Hogg's 31 to 20 in a high-scoring game, while E. R. Harmer's rink won from R. Conduit's by 21-11.

Scores:—

S.L.B.C. Reds 4; Police 1

S.L.B.C. Reds		Police	
T. S. Parry (skip)	31	A. B. Hogg (skip)	20
A. Braid, J. J. Evans, S. G. Mills, W. J. Monk (skip)	15	E. J. Ling, R. J. Tabrum, E. Markland, S. S. Wilkinson (skip)	27
A. M. McGregor, F. Hornbrook, F. J. Drakeford, E. R. Harmer (skip)	21	J. Campbell, W. Roberts, W. Hutton, R. Conduit (skip)	11
H. S. Bell, J. Frost, J. R. Scobie.	67	J. Bradley, J. T. Hughes, S. Craig.	58

Blues Beat Country Club

Playing on their own greens, the Country Club did extremely well to hold the powerful Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club Blues to a 66-50 victory succeeding in winning on one rank.

M. Reader Harris' four were the victorious home rink, beating W. A. Turnbull's in an interesting match by 20 shots to 17.

H. Wallace's rink, who have been sweeping everything before them this season, won easily against F. G. Harrison's, by a margin of 12 shots, 25 to 13.

In the third rink, the Blues won by seven shots, 24 to 17, with C. Richard's four getting the better of L. A. Beith's.

Scores:—

Country Club 1; Blues 4

Country Club		Blues	
F. G. Harrison (skip)	18	H. Wallace (skip)	25
M. Hendry, J. R. Weeks, P. W. Massey, L. A. Beith (skip)	17	W. H. Train, F. S. Ward, L. J. Hughes, C. Richards (skip)	24
R. Lock, J. T. W. Brooke, E. F. Bateman, M. Reader Harris (skip)	20	C. A. Pratt, A. A. Chalmers, J. A. Stoodart, W. A. Turnbull (skip)	17
N. C. Macgregor, J. G. Haigh, W. P. Lambe.	50	A. Harvey, A. R. Eisenhut, E. E. Wallwork.	66

Recs Just Beat Yangtzepoo

One of the hardest-fought games seen this season was won by the Recs at Wayside yesterday when they defeated the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club by 55 shots to 50, in spite of losing on two rinks.

R. C. Aitkenhead's four beat F. O. Madar's in the closest game of all, by the margin of one shot, 18 to 17. The steadiness of the home four, in the last two ends, enabled them to oust the Recs.

Yangtzepoo won another rink when W. A. Bailey's beat G. B. Stormes' four by five shots, 20 to 15.

The Recs, however, overcame their deficit in the two rinks by scoring an easy victory in the third, when G. V. Jensen's four won by 23 shots to 12 against A. Sharp's four.

Scores:—

Yangtzepoo 2; Recs 3

Yangtzepoo		Recs	
R. C. Aitkenhead (skip)	18	F. O. Madar (skip)	17
W. C. Grant, R. Fyfe, J. Colquhoun, A. Sharp (skip)	12	G. N. Manley, A. McLean, L. B. Barrera, G. V. Jensen (skip)	23
L. Beattie, D. Scrimegour, J. Morton, W. A. Bailey (skip)	20	C. Thompson, W. Hall, W. T. Manley, G. B. Stormes (skip)	15
W. R. Chisholm, C. Kearns, F. C. McPherson.	50	J. M. C. Lopes, W. E. Fairbairn, E. Gifford.	55

Lusitano in Good Form

Clube Lusitano did exceptionally well to beat the Shanghai Junior Golf Club on the latter's greens by the handsome margin of 81 shots to 55, winning on all three rinks, two by a handy score.

The Portuguese got off to a good start when the rink of their Captain, H. A. Ozorio, took the measure of C. Clements' by 26 shots to 18, and they went further ahead on the decisive 33-16 victory scored by A. M. Gutierrez's four over that led by K. Swartzell.

The game between J. M. B. Gutierrez's rink and R. Thomson's, however, was a "touch-and-go" affair, with the lead alternating up to the close. J. M. Gutierrez eventually won by one wood, 22 to 21.

Scores:—

Junior G. C. 0; Lusitano 5

Junior G.C.		Lusitano	
R. Thomson (skip)	21	J. M. B. Gutierrez	22
T. Pollard, W. Watson, H. Hill, C. Clements (skip)	18	J. P. de Campos, A. M. Souza, F. M. F. Gutierrez, H. A. Ozorio (skip)	26
J. Gaffney, M. Benton, S. Heley, K. Swartzell (skip)	16	F. C. Ozorio, C. L. Passos, T. G. J. d'Almeida, A. M. Gutierrez (skip)	33
P. Ephgrave, N. Bournes, O. Schmied.	55	S. del Rivero, F. M. Machado, A. A. Leitao.	81

SECOND DIVISION

Yangtzepoo Nets Five Points

The Yangtzepoo Bowling Club took full points from the Recs on the latter's greens yesterday to retain their position at the top of the Second Division, winning by 70 shots to 55.

The scores were close in two rinks, W. Simpson's beating T. Kirby's only by one shot, 21 to 20.

C. Keenan's team got the better of R. E. Manley's by 23 to 18, and Yangtzepoo took the remaining rink when R. M. Jordan's four beat John L. Wade's by 26 shots to 17.

Scores:—

Recs 0; Yangtzepoo 5

Recs		Yangtzepoo	
T. Kirby (skip)	20	W. Simpson (skip)	21
A. M. Girrard, E. A. Cooke, W. H. Richardson, R. E. Manley (skip)	18	M. McVicar, J. Turnbull, W. McLennan, C. Keenan (skip)	23
B. A. Shirazee, F. J. Brand, C. M. Silva, J. L. Wade (skip)	17	H. Booth, J. Mudford, R. Lucas, R. M. Jordan (skip)	26
F. A. Leitao, G. D. Raeburn, T. Veitch.	55	J. North, G. Muller, W. J. Francis.	70

Lusitano Juniors Win

Clubs Lusitano experienced little difficulty in winning from the Junior Golf Club in a Second Division game on their own rinks, by 93 shots to 33. This score is the highest to be made in the Second Division this year and approaches the season's record of 94-32 by the S.L.B.C. Blues against the Shanghai Junior Golf Club.

Interesting to note were the identical scores made in two out of three rinks, H. J. Encarnacao's four beating H. Cranfield's by 33 to 10 and J. Sepe's taking the measure of P. Shaw's by the same margin.

In the third rink, the Portuguese also won easily, with L. F. Lopes' four beating F. Stebbeds by 26 shots to 13.

The Shanghai Junior Golf Club were weakened by absentees and had to field four reserves, which accounts perhaps, for their poor showing.

Scores:—

Lusitano 5; Junior G.C.O. 0

Lusitano		Junior G.C.	
H. J. Encarnacao (skip)	33	H. Cranfield (skip)	10
Dr. D. Gutterres, M. F. R. Leitao, F. M. Gonsalves, J. Sepe (skip)	33	W. Higgs, W. Fisher, T. Parry, P. Shaw (skip)	10
J. M. Rozario, D. M. G. Gutterres, J. M. Guttierrez, L. F. Lopes (skip)	26	A. Letchford, F. Hale, F. Godfrey, F. Stebbeds (skip)	13
J. M. M. Britto, J. F. da Silva, S. F. Xavier.	92	N. Beeman, C. Fletcher, F. Jackson	33

J. Bromwich Takes Three Love Sets

Chapultepec Mex., June 30.

Australia snatched a 2-0 lead in her American Zone Davis Cup match against Mexico when she won both opening singles today. Ambidextrous John Bromwich beat Hernandez by 6-0, 6-0, 6-0, while Adrian Quist defeated Tapta by 6-1, 6-4, 6-2.—Havas.

Hungjao Polo Club

Owing to the Hoyt Cup play and various teams having made other arrangements both on Saturday and Sunday, the Secretary has only a small programme for this afternoon at Huangjao.

The following games have been arranged:—

3.00 p.m.—East Surreys *v.* Neville, White, Kauffman, Chou.

3.20 p.m.—Seaforths *v.* Mixed Grill: Riggio, Hornby, Krikoriantz, Elles.

After these games, pick-up chukkers will be arranged on the field.

The ground will be open on Monday in the afternoon for those Members who wish to play polo.

Jimmy Snyder Dies

East St. Louis, June 30.

Jimmy Snyder, noted automobile racing driver, died today from injuries suffered in a race track collision at Cahokia, Ill.—United Press.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Full Speed After The Ball

N. F. Allman, who played a conspicuous part in the 10-5 victory scored by the American Troop over the Light Horse in the annual Hoyt Cup match on the Race Course yesterday, seen galloping at full speed after the ball, with opposing players in close attendance.

Spirited Batting Saves Day For S.C.C. Nomads

Club Side Wins by 91 Runs After Slow Start; Fine Half-Century by Elliot; Wilson Slogs Out

SOME spirited batting by Elliot and Dr. Morris when matters were not going too well, and another splendid bowling performance by Leach, the skipper, enabled the S.C.C. Nomads to score a fairly easy league cricket win over the S.R.C. Tyros yesterday afternoon on the latter's ground, the Nomads winning by 91 runs after batting first and totalling 199.

This win has put the Cricket Club team among the leaders and it would now seem that with their representatives playing better each time they appear, the struggle for local cricket supremacy is going to become more and more keen, especially since the powerful Sh. force XI dropped two valuable points yesterday afternoon.

Pote-Hunt and Marshall put on 53 for the first wicket partnership, before the former was caught by Hart-Baker off Wilson for a careful 26. With his dismissal a mild collapse followed, the next four wickets falling for the addition of only 24 more runs, Wilson and Symons being responsible for the rot.

With the advent of Elliot, however, a change came over the game. He and Norman added 31 badly needed runs before the sixth partnership was broken, Norman being bowled by Wilson after a well-played innings of 26. Dr. Morris then joined Elliot and a bad situation was retrieved and the Nomads placed in a definitely winning position.

Elliot Slogs Bowling

Elliot went for the bowling in characteristic style and when finally caught by Hart-Baker—the fielder's third victim—he had pulled the game out of the fire, his most useful innings of 52 being recorded in good time and including no less than ten fours. He left when the board read 154, but Morris kept going and although the remainder of the side did not fare so well, he lashed out to good effect to hit one six and six fours in an unbeaten innings of 38, the entire side being dismissed for 199.

Symons returned the best bowling figures, his four victims costing 7½ runs apiece.

The Tyros never looked comfortable against the offerings of Leach, who bowled unchanged throughout the innings. Hart-Baker and Ollerdessen were back with only 20 runs scored and although Blackwood and George Madar kept things moving for a while, they were both dismissed before the fifty mark had been reached.

It was left to the evergreen veteran Torry Wilson and Pate to knock the bowling around the field and though their efforts delighted their many supporters, they failed to stay long enough to have a chance of winning the match, for with their dismissal, the tail collapsed completely, the last four wickets falling at the same total, 108.

Wilson Has Merry Knock

Wilson had a merry knock of 31, 24 coming by way of boundaries, before he was ultimately beaten by Leach. Pate, too, hit out strongly, his chief hits during a short stay being three sixes, two being off Leach and one off Thomson. He punished the Nomads' skipper for 18 in one over but the wily Leach had his revenge by later clean bowling him.

Leach's final figures of seven wickets for 57 in just over thirteen overs were very good. He paid for his wickets in the early stages but was always a little too clever for those facing him. Elliot, too, did well, sending down eight over for 15 runs and one wicket.

S.C.C. Nomads

J. W. Pote-Hunt, c. Hart-Baker, b. Wilson	26
F. Marshall, b. Symons	22
C. E. M. Thomson, c. Hart-Baker, b. Wilson	0
A. G. Norman, b. Wilson	26
H. E. Orr, c. Pate, b. Symons	2
D. W. Leach, c. Weidman, b. Symons	10
G. B. Elliot, c. Hart-Baker, b. Pate	52
Dr. H. H. Morris, not out	38
W. E. Tingle, c. Symons, b. Pate	1
J. D. E. Shotter, b. Wilson	3
A. Graham, b. Symons	5
Extras	14
Total	199

Fall of Wickets:—1-53 (Pote-Hunt), 2-53 (Thomson), 3-57 (Marshall), 4-61 (Orr), 5-77 (Leach), 6-108 (Norman), 7-154 (Elliot), 8-167 (Tingle), 9-176 (Shotter), 10-199 (Graham).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pettit	3	0	19	0
Wilson	15	1	66	4
Symons	7.2	0	30	4
Ollerdessen	3	0	15	0
Hart-Baker	2	0	23	0
Pate	2	0	15	2
Weidman	1	0	17	0

S.R.C. Tyros

N. Hart-Baker, c. Morris, b. Leach	5
G. Madar, c. Pote-Hunt, b. Leach	16
C. E. Ollerdessen, run out	2
E. Blackwood, b. Thomson	15
C. J. Smith, l.b.w., b. Leach	5
T. W. R. Wilson, b. Leach	31
A. de S. Inwood, b. Elliot	2
K. M. Pate, b. Leach	28
A. Symons, b. Leach	0
E. Weidman, not out	0
A. W. Pettit, c. Norman, b. Leach	0
Extras	6
Total	108

Fall of Wickets:—1-8 (Hart-Baker), 2-20 (Ollerdessen), 3-37 (Madar), 4-45 (Blackwood), 5-65 (Smith), 6-80 (Wilson), 7-108 (Pate), 8-108 (Inwood), 9-108 (Symons), 10-108 (Pettit).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Leach	13.2	2	57	7
Elliot	8	2	15	1
Thomson	5	0	30	0

Brilliant Bowling By J. Langridge

Sussex Slow Left-Hander Captures Five Wickets For Three Runs

London, June 30.

A remarkable piece of work with the ball by James Langridge, the slow left-handed bowler, who took five wickets for only three runs, enabled Sussex to score a narrow victory over Derbyshire at Derby today, by 13 runs.

Two other outright victories were scored in County Championship matches today, Essex beating Hampshire by 37 runs, while Kents scored a handsome win over Leicester by 161 runs.

Glamorgan caused a surprise by taking the measure of Lancashire on the first innings, while Notts also won on the first innings against Worcester.

E. Paynter, the England and Lancashire batsman, was in good batting form, scoring 140 runs against Glamorgan in the second innings. His century enabled Lancashire to declare at 291 for nine wickets, a bid for victory which failed, however, as Glamorgan succeeded in playing out time, when they were 81 runs behind, with five wickets in hand.

Ten Wickets for 83

H. W. Harding, son of Harold Harding, the former famous Kent all-rounder, played a conspicuous part in Kent's victory over Leicester, at Tunbridge Wells, taking a total of ten wickets at an average of eight runs.

He claimed three victims in Leicester's first innings for 52 runs and improved on this performance by taking five wickets for 31 in the second innings.

A. Fagg, the left-hander, scored 131 runs for Kent in their second innings.

At Derby—Sussex beat Derbyshire by 13 runs.

Sussex, 258 (Bartlett, 99 and Copson, 6 for 64) and 147.

Derby, 198 (Duffield, 5 for 38) and 194 (Worthington, 119 and James Langridge 5 for 3).

At Southampton—Essex won by 37 runs against Hants.

Essex, 181 (Boyes, 6 for 45) and 241 for 9 declared.

Hants, 229 and 156 (Peter Smith, 5 for 38).

At Tunbridge Wells—Kent won by 161 runs against Leicester.

Kent, 190 (Smith, 5 for 52) and 222 for 5 declared (Fagg 131).

Leicester, 166 (Harding, 5 for 31) and 85 (Harding 4 for 16).

At Nottingham—Notts won on the first innings against Worcester.

Worcester, 310 (Palmer, 110 and Voce 5 for 72) and 254 for 5 (Cooper 97).

Notts, 357.

At Cardiff—Glamorgan beat Lancashire on the first innings.

Lancashire, 249 and 291 for 9 declared (Paynter, 140).

Glamorgan, 268 and 191 for five.—Reuter.

Armstrong-Ambers Fight Postponed

New York, June 30.

Postponement of the Henry Armstrong-Lou Ambers lightweight championship fight from August 9 to August 22 was announced today by Promoter Mike Jacobs. The fight will be held in Yankee Stadium as originally planned. — United Press.

H. W. Austin's Chances at Wimbledon

Bobby Riggs Appears to Be Chief Threat

By ATHENIAN

London, June 15.

Who will succeed Donald Budge as Wimbledon champion? Robert Riggs, America's No. 1, will start favourite. I have not seen him play, but I am much impressed by the reports of leading English players who have measured themselves against him.

Charles Hare, the British Davis Cup player, has opposed Riggs twice. In the American championships Riggs won by 3 sets to 2, after the Englishman had been within 2 points of the match. On the other occasion Rare won. "But I would not like to back myself now," said Hare recently. "He is my choice for the Wimbledon title."

Hughes Bets on Riggs

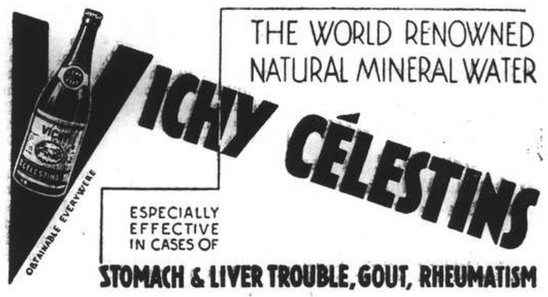
G. P. Hughes, another Davis Cup player, also speaking from first-hand experience, considers Riggs "a very good bet." Hughes was particularly impressed by the American's lobs, which he says were hit and not just hoisted. Though Riggs lacks the dynamic force of Budge he has speed and stamina and is noted for his all-round stroke play. Apparently his only weakness is over-confidence.

England's one and only hope in the singles will be H. W. Austin, the finest lawn tennis player who never won Wimbledon. In the absence of Budge and Bromwich his chances are good, especially if he can reproduce the form he displayed in the final last year.

Other Possibilities

Riggs appears to be his greatest danger. Henkel and Petra, impressive though they are on their own hard courts, are unlikely to prove so menacing on the grass courts of Wimbledon. Puncec, from Yugo-Slavia, reached the semi-finals last year, and may do so again. And one of the Chinese Davis Cup players, Kho Sin-kie or W. C. Choy, may spring a surprise. But if Austin has not spent too much time away from his racket while in America he should reach the final.

Though some have had more force, and perhaps greater stamina, no other star player has provided spectators so consistently with such beautiful lawn tennis as "Bunny" Austin. His victory would be hailed with pleasure throughout the world.



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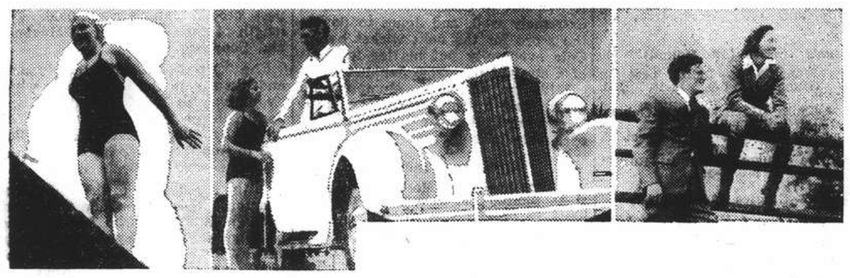

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They forget that theatre owners (with the exception of those controlled by studios) will continue to advertise motion pictures in the manner that seems to fit the whims of their own localities—regardless of billing "instructions" sent along from the plant.

For instance, Joan Crawford, billed as a star by her studio, may be a box-office power in one locality and strictly poison in another. So, when Joan's latest opus descends on the latter community the exhibitor goes out of his way to see that her name is underplayed in all his local advertising.

Katharine Hepburn always demanded and received 100 per cent. billing (that's where an actor's name appears above the picture's title and in type of equal size), but few theatres ever treated her to such distinction. Other "hundred percenters" are Bette Davis, Carole Lombard, Claudette Colbert, Cecil B. De Mille and Frank Capra. The last two are directors—the only ones in their class who receive such designation in Hollywood.

On the other hand, exhibitors often make 100 per cent. stars out of actors billed by studios as supporting players. A recent example is James Stewart. Universally popular, Jimmy has been held back at his studio for some unexplained reason, but, when exhibitors play a picture in which he appears his name invariably goes up in the top lights above that of the nominal star. Incidentally, the studio took cognizance of this situation recently, when Stewart's name was officially listed among its stars.

"Elizabeth and Essex"

An odd case came up at Warner Brothers a couple of weeks ago. An important picture, "Knight and the Lady," was ready to go before the cameras when Bette Davis suddenly insisted that the title be changed. As it stood, Errol Flynn, appearing opposite her, automatically would have received first billing. There wasn't any way round it, because Flynn was the "knight" of the title.

Bette held firm—until the title was changed to "Elizabeth and Essex." The new name carries less box-office punch, the studio admits, but Bette's rights to first billing are preserved.

One star actually did profit through meticulous demand for certain billing. His name is Jimmy Cagney. Several years ago Jimmy sued Warner Brothers for breach of contract—and won—because one of the Warner-controlled theatres in Beverly Hills billed his name below that of Pat O'Brien in advertising "Ceiling Zero." Jimmy wanted to free himself from Warner shackles for other reasons and seized on that technicality to win his fight.

But Cagney's was an isolated case. It involved a theatre operated by the studio: otherwise, no court would have upheld the claim. When an exhibitor buys a picture he feels free to advertise it in the manner by which he can extract the most profit from it. That's why studio billing doesn't mean a thing, and all concerned waste a lot of precious time and temper arguing about it.

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Featured Vocalist

The Paramount Ballroom's new dance band, headed by Mario Javier, will play for the regular tea dance today and for the dinner dance which will follow. The band had its debut last night and was well received by a large crowd, patrons being specially pleased with the swing music and the new novelty numbers. Favourable comment also was heard in connection with the singing of Rosie Reynolds, the featured vocalist of the band. The personnel of the orchestra includes Carpio Real, Jose Samson, Beck Malvar, Benjamin Rayes, Luis Santos, Jose Nanas, Arturo Carpio, Spencer Zee, George Abelardo, Jefferson Andico and Miss Reynolds. The band plays all types of modern dance music and has four good vocalists. The Paramount is ideally air-conditioned and presents floor entertainment both for the tea dances and the dinner dances.

Oriental Rubinoff

Bob, dubbed "The Rubinoff of the Orient" by the American film star, Miss Gloria Stuart, on the occasion of her recent visit here, is, with his band, the principal attraction at the Gaiety Night Club. The band plays dinner music as well as popular dance music. Not a large band but a well-balanced one, the members of which plays from two to six instruments. Bob formerly headed a large orchestra at the French Club. The Gaiety is open all night.

"The Little Princess"

Shirley Temple, supported by Richard Greene and Arthur Treacher, continues popular at the Grand.

Claudette Colbert

An actress whose intelligence will save almost the worst picture from failure is Claudette Colbert, who must now be close to that period of a film star's career when she counts as a veteran. Miss Colbert acted in silent pictures after a brilliant series of performances on the stage. Her latest picture, "Midnight," is again a triumph of temperament allied with technical experience and control. Miss Colbert is the complete answer to those who believe that a film star should not be more than 25 years of age.

Dorothy Lamour Sighs About Glamour

Star Relates Views About Romance During Studio Work

Miss Dorothy Lamour, in a form-fitting Chinese robe of white silk, was dressed to slink. Her hair was done Chinese style, with a burst of imitation jade gadgets sprouting over each ear bun.

She pouted her cherry red (No. 7 red, which is very red) lips and wrinkled her indefinite nose when romance was mentioned. This highly interesting subject was brought up during a lull in the artifical romance in which she was partaking for the benefit of the cameras.

"Romance! That's all I ever hear these days," said she, with mild exasperation.

Herbie Kay and Dorothy agreed less several months ago via telephone, that they didn't want to be married any more. Their long distance marriage wouldn't work. Since Kay filed suit for divorce, the gossipers have had Dorothy engaged to half a dozen different men.

The object of this visit to Dorothy's movie set, where Dorothy was dressed up like a Chinese girl who isn't Chinese at all but an American reared by a Chinese family, was two-fold: To learn whether there is any truth in these recurring rumours and to find out what she thinks about the motive behind them.

"It's part of the racket," offered Dorothy by way of explanation.

For the benefit of visitors from abroad, Miss Lamour was not speaking disparagingly of the movie business when she called it a racket. She had been using pidgin English all day and it relaxed her, I suppose, to drop in the Hollywood vernacular.

"You know how this glamour stuff is," she continued. "They want people to think you're the same sort of girl off the screen as you are on it."

(On the screen, Miss Lamour is a charmer. She consistently gets her man).

"But I'm not, I assure you, I have too much to do. I have to work too hard. I have a radio programme and with pictures, I have to work mighty hard. I can't stay out late at night when I'm working. Honestly, even if I were inclined to be as romantic as they say, I am, I wouldn't have time.

"It's just publicity."

New Orchestra

Hilo Baby, a pleasing Filipino singer from Manila, and Tatong Amper's dance band last night opened a long engagement at the Metropole Garden and Ballroom and were greeted by a capacity gathering anxious to see and hear the new vocalist and musicians. Amper has played with and directed orchestras here at the Little Club, Cathay Hotel, the old Palais de Danse, Ladow's Tavern, Del Monte and other cabarets and night clubs. He has assembled a combination of unusually fine musicians, all Filipinos with the exception of the American singing drummer, Ray Nelson. Other members of the band include Vicente Legaspi, "Sonny" Louis, Surrey Pedring, E. Dionicio, C. Francisco, Frank Casino, F. Carneiro and J. Francisco.

Progress Made in Screen Make-up

Once Ignored, Now Vital Factor in Production of Modern Cinemas

Screen make-up has come a long way in 25 years. In a quarter of a century, it has conquered unbelievably crude beginnings until today it is recognized as an essential art factor in celluloid entertainment, writes Harald Hefferman in the "Oregonian."

Fans nowadays take the glamourous appearance of their favorites for granted. But strip them of some of the expert gilding that goes on behind the scenes, and howls of derision would drown out the sound apparatus.

Last month a man name Jack Dawn, who reports daily at the big MGM studio to supervize the jolly task of making the lovelies of that lot look even lovelier, has a logical anniversary reason to peek back in his memory book that May day in 1914 when he first broke into pictures.

An ex-sailor, cowboy and sign painter from the middle west, Dawn drifted into boom town Hollywood and answered a call for extras to play Indians in a George Melford film. There he received his introduction to movie make-up—1914 style. It came in the form of a bucket of body paint and a kalsomine brush. One of the 50 synthetic scalpers, he stood in a long naked line, awaiting a general dousing of the watery bronze mixture, spread from head to toe by a prop boy.

In the morning, he would play a Union soldier. In the afternoon he would be the Indian the same soldier shot down in the morning session. He was a western heavy, with a painted black mustache, a keystone cop, or any other character the call sheet demanded. But it was make-up that aroused his curiosity and caused him in his spare time to launch the experiments that finally landed him among the foremost members of his craft.

Dawn's career as a make-up man has thrust many a strange assignment his way, but he says there was only one demand he couldn't fulfill.

"That was a matter of self-protection," he grinned. "You see, a producer wanted me to shave off the mane of an African lion and make him resemble a mountain lion. At this I drew the line."

But he did make up a Mexican Chihuahua to resemble a French poodle at the request of Hal Roach, who needed such a dog for a comedy starring Jimmy Finlayson.

One day he was called into consultation by William Fox over a weighty problem connected with a sequence in which George O'Brien and his lady love were to be hurled into a pit of hissing rattlesnakes. The scenarist refused to compromise—it had to be rattlers or nothing.

Dawn sent property men over the Hollywood hills (this was before they were covered with fashionable homes) in search of 50 harmless garden snakes, which then abounded in that section. They returned, baskets loaded. Dawn had the snakes taken to his home, and there, with the aid of two boys—one holding the head, the other the tail—he worked over their squirming bodies with a paintbrush, transferring the design of the deadly rattler to their backs. The final stroke was a touch of genius. Each tail was dipped in glue and to this was fastened "rattlers," carved of balsa wood and tied together with thin wire.

Orchestra at Palace

Patrons of the Palace, who yesterday heard Ullstein's orchestra in the grillroom, surely will attend again. In his position he will have, without question, an opportunity to develop a classical aggregation, which may "take a lot of beating" in Shanghai. The orchestra plays at tiffin, tea and dinner and vary their according to the desires of patrons. Mr. Ullstein is a welcome addition to the staff.

"Shopworn Angel"

Featured at the Nanking Theatre today are Margaret Sullavan and James Stewart in a sympathetic drama. Associated players include Walter Pidgeon, Nat Pendleton and Hattie MacDaniel.

"Romance of the North"

Charles Bickford has one of his most striking roles of recent years at the Metropol Theatre today. Among the supporting players are Jean Parker, Gordon Oliver and Pat O'Malley.

The Enduring Chaplin

Charlie Chaplin (and it is really wrong, even now, to call him by any other name than the time-honoured "Charlie") must still be accounted the outstanding human figure in screen history. He is now 50, and, instead of summing up his career with something like finality, one goes on wondering what he will do next. The recent celebration of his jubilee recalled the time when in the company of Stan Laurel he left England for America as one of Fred Karno's "Mumming birds" combination.

Even in the old music-hall days his strength lay in pantomime. When he took to the pictures he was perforce silent, for those were the silent days of the cinema. But he knew too wherein his strength was. While others talked he remained voiceless. The silence of the superb pantomimist had its magic and made for enduring success. Everybody wonders what the voice of Chaplin can be like. Obviously his friends know, but the other day there was a semi-public demonstration when he attended the dinner held in honour of May Robson's 75th birthday, and made what was by all accounts a charming speech.

Now the mystery deepens. All have seen the last of the little man with the bowler hat, the crooked cane, and the big boots. Will it be an entirely different Chaplin people shall see in "The Dictators," and will he speak with a real or an assumed voice? Nobody talks seriously about Chaplin's having coming to the end of his career. It is true that there are other men in pictures who have well passed their 50th year, but none of these men presents the problem of a possible new career.

Acting with Intelligence

One is glad to learn of the return to the screen of Miss Miriam Hopkins, who has not been seen in a picture of late. She is working with Bette Davis on "The Old Maid," the tale of two sisters who are forced by poverty to live together notwithstanding a mutual hatred. Miss Hopkins is one of those screen actresses who can always be relied upon to give a good and intelligent performance. Although she is to be counted among the major stars, so far as England is concerned one doubts it she has ever achieved the popularity she deserves.

She had the good fortune to start her film career under the direction of Lubitsch, and it is doubtful if she has ever given better performances than in "The Smiling Lieutenant" and "Trouble in Paradise." Lubitsch is just one of those directors who can make the most of an intellectual actress. Miss Hopkins' one adventure in an English studio was not a happy one. "Men Are Not Angels," in which she appeared with Gertrude Lawrence and Sebastian Shaw, could not have her very anxious to trust herself again to British discretion.

"Oomph" a la Francaise

There was a time—and how long ago it seems—when to possess sex appeal was to possess "It." Those were the days of Clara Bow. Now "it" is known as "oomph," and in cinema valuation it is seemingly as precious as ever it was. So precious is it that a certain Miss Yvonne Duval has brought an action, or threatened to bring an action, against Miss Ann Sheridan for laying claim to the title "Oomph girl." The matter is a serious one.

But not only in America is this quality honoured. According to a recent statement in the press, France has its own "Oomph girl" in the person of Viviane Romance, who, as the very essence of sex appeal in a rather crude form, is starring in "Naples au Baiser de Feu." She, it appears, is greater box office in France than either Francoise Rosay, or Michèle Morgan. One might say that the price of a really effective vamp is above rubies.

When it comes to French films, French selection has divided the prize for the best film between "La Bete Humaine" and "Quai des Brumes." The prizes for the best individual performances have gone to Michel Simon, a character comedian, and to Arletty, a popular musical-hall actress. The most important prize of all, "The D. W. Griffiths Prix International" was not awarded, because the Academy could not find any film from any country worthy of the honour.

Boderick Crawford, playing a supporting role in "Island of Lost Men," Paramount's starring film Anna May Wong, was imprisoned beneath trap door in a pit twelve feet deep which, while cameras turned, was filled slowly with water until only his head remained clear. According to the story, the pit is beneath the porch of a shack built on a river bank in the jungle wilds north of Singapore.

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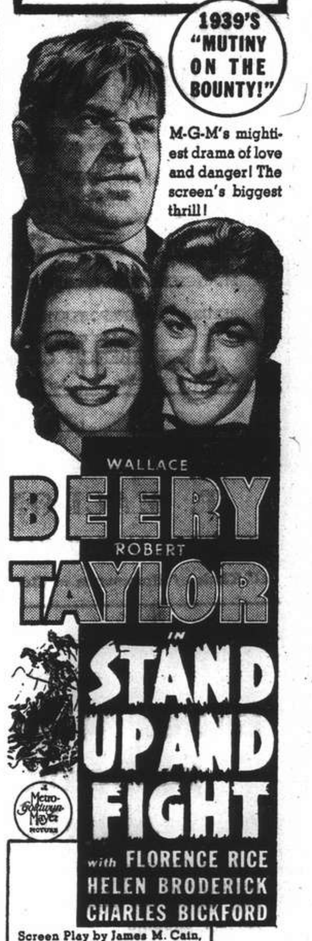

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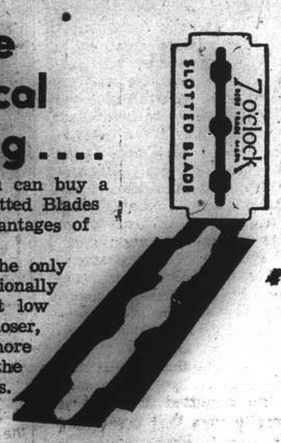

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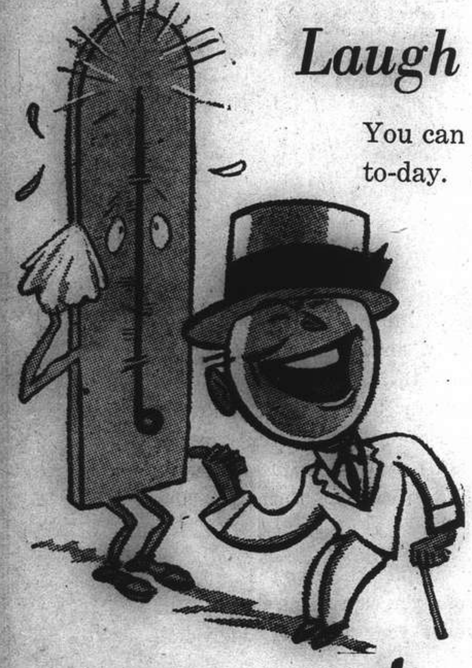

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GREAT BRITAIN'S PLANES

BY WINGER

It is officially stated that, in the new Bristol Beaufort monoplane with which the Royal Air Force is being equipped, Great Britain has the fastest twin-engined bomber in the world. Well-supported reports are current that our new fighters are also faster than any others in existence, so that in both bombers and fighters the R.A.F. will have the speediest machines of any air force in the world. What the exact speed of the Bristol Beaufort is, is not disclosed, but it is said to be "considerably faster" than the Bristol Blenheim, which has a speed of 295 m.p.h. So it may be assumed that the new type exceeds 300. This is understood to be due partly to its exceptionally low structural weight which is under 30 per cent. of the aeroplane's total loaded weight.

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The four seaplanes which are to be put into the British trans-Atlantic service are now in their final trials, which include about 70,000 miles of flying round and over the British Isles. They mark a great advance in civil aviation, with a perfected system of refuelling in mid-air, which will increase both their range and payload. This system is the result of years of research under the superintendence of Sir Alan Cobham, the famous Empire flying pioneer. The pilot of the receiving aeroplane has only to fly on a straight and level course; nothing unusual need be feared as the petrol pours, its flow being indicated by a dial on the dashboard; and as much as 1,000 gallons of petrol can be taken on in the air in fifteen minutes. What this means in reducing the plane's initial weight and enabling her to rise easily from the water may be imagined.

Another interesting event has been the launching of the Golden Hind, the first of Messrs. Short's new "G" class flying-boat. Two others are being built. These boats loaded weigh 32 tons and are driven by four 1,500 h.p. engines. They can be used in three ways: to carry a large load of mail and no passengers; or six passengers, mail and freight; or 24 passengers, mail and freight. Their normal still air range will be over 3,000 miles. From the passenger's point of view they will be even more luxurious and convenient than any liner at present flying.

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A book entitled "Pilot's Summer" which will be of very wide interest has just been published by Squadron-leader F. D. Tredrey, on his three-months' training to be an instructor at the Central Flying School, gives a vivid idea of how and why the R.A.F. airmen attain their extraordinary skill. When he first learnt to fly he says, he thought that the "patter" (i.e. the instructor's continual description of the effect of the different controls) was merely meant to be soothing. After a bit he realized that every word of it was full of meaning and had to be learnt and made a part of himself word by word, for his own and other people's benefit. His account of the first time he was told to do a slow roll is particularly graphic:—

"Slow rolls. Ah, they had to come sooner or later. Over we go. There's one terrifying moment when you're flung on your side and trying hard to fall through the side of the cockpit, and then, over, over, and you're floating along upside down in space. You are groping blindly up in the air inside the cockpit with your feet defying the laws of gravity to keep them on the rudder bar.

"Whatever dust and bits of mud and grass there may be floating round in the cockpit at once seems to fall out and get under your goggles and into your eyes. You could swear you did the straps up as tightly as possible, and yet it feels as though you're suspended about a foot out of the cockpit in thin air. In a slow roll you get all those sensations in about three seconds, while the oil-impregnated air is wooshing past at a hundred, and you're feeling with the controls, a little of this and a little of that, to keep her straight."

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The naval anti-aircraft gunners of the Home Fleet had some practical shooting recently at a Queen Bee, that is light pilotless biplane controlled by radio from the ground or in this case from the cruiser Newcastle. Guns of 4, 4.7 and 4.5 in. calibre were used, the last named being the Navy's modern high-angle gun. The test was not altogether a fair one, as only practice shells were used, that is without high explosive, which, as one naval man said, was rather like shooting at grouse with a rifle. And in the end the Queen Bee was recalled to the Newcastle without being hit. This suggests that if war bombers which of course have much greater speed and a higher ceiling than the Queen Bee fly high enough, they have a good chance of escaping damage from anti-aircraft guns, though the range of high explosive is not to be trifled with. And on the other hand, if they fly high enough to risk the A.A. guns, they obviously cannot aim their bombs with accuracy.

I went down to Croydon recently to meet a friend from Holland. It is some time since I was there and the general improvements and smooth working of the aerodrome are very striking. People waiting for friends can go up to the roof of the offices from which they get a fine view of the aeroplanes arriving and leaving. For sixpence they can be taken all over "the works" by a guide, and see something of the immensely complicated business of running air liners, with continual reports of wind and weather, and conversations with the pilots during their flights. It is a good lesson to uninstructed on the immense part played by a good ground service in aerial navigation. Two things struck one particularly. First the absolute accuracy with which the airliners arrive on time; secondly, the absence of fuss or excitement of any kind. Considering how comparatively recent is this business of flying airliners all over the world, both features are surely remarkable.

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Croydon is now to be provided with another landing strip lit by coloured lights, like the one at Heston, but rather longer. These lights, of sodium and mercury lamps, will be arranged in three bands, green, white and red. Between each section there will be cross-bar of white lights. The whole illuminated runway is thus like a great grid, 1,100 yd. long by 63 yd. wide. It is intended specially for use in foggy weather, and the pilot will approach from the green light end. Then come the white lamps, and if he cannot get his wheels down in time, the red lights will warn him to open his throttle and try again.

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Four, possibly more, of the all-metal 21-ton Short Sunderland flying-boats based at the R.A.F. station Seletar near Singapore, are to undertake a formation cruise to Australia in the near future. These powerful seaplanes are known as "flying battleships" and Australia has ordered a number of them for her own defences. Last year, it may be remembered, the Sunderland squadrons pioneered a military and commercial airway by cruising across the Bay of Bengal, from Singapore to Ceylon, 1,400 miles non-stop. On their coming cruise they will be out to collect tactical and strategical data for the operation of long-range seaplanes over the line of the Netherlands East Indies and adjoining seas. The Sunderland's range is 3,000 miles in still air, with a maximum level speed in calm air of 210 m.p.h. under full military load. For reconnaissance work and spotting submarines these aircraft are invaluable, while their long range forbids a surprise attack on Singapore by aeroplanes launched from a remote aircraft carrier. Each Sunderland carries seven guns.

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An amazing account has appeared in the papers of a robin which built a nest and laid six eggs in it on an aeroplane at Denham, which takes frequent flights. At such times the robin retires to a perch nearby but immediately settles again on her nest of eggs when the aeroplane comes back.

"'The Times" report says that the aeroplane belongs to Mr. Percy Hordern, who two days ago flew to Brighton and back with the nest and eggs while the robin waited as usual. When the nest was being built it was pulled to pieces half-a-dozen times by the aerodrome staff as it was felt that there might be some danger, but the robin was not to be discouraged. Dr. J. Myles Bickerton, who owns the aerodrome at Denham, said in an interview:

We all admired the bird's pluck, and the staff have adopted it as the aerodrome mascot. I do not think the eggs will be hurt by their flights, providing the aeroplane is not away too long, as the engine, which is just in front of the nest, will keep them warm. When the wings are fixed in place the nest is entirely encased and there is no danger. What will happen to the young birds remains to be seen. When they are hatched we may have to try and remove the nest.

Wisdom from the Weeklies

Mirrors in Commons The New Pepys writes in "Truth":—At Clubb this night Mr. Jollops made merrie of the endeavour made by Dr. Edith Summerskill, who sits for Fulham, to procure the introductioun of a mirrour into the cloke-room of the Commons' House. 'Tis like, said Jollops, to have a pretty busy time with the she-members titivating themselves before it. Whereto I was forward to remarque: And not the she-members alone neither. For myself have known men every whit as preeningly fond of their own faces in the mirrour as any woman; though commonly more surreptitious abt it, but not allways eeven that. In confirmacioun whereof I told Jollops of what I saw not long since when I went into Bond St. to mine hatterer to have mine hatt ironed. And while I waited for it, lo! in a littel whipper-snapper of a fellow, with a conspicuously Darwinien sort of face, in quest of a golph-capp. Whereupon to see him trying on capp after capp, posturing himself in each of them before the great mirrour in soe smirkily complacent a manner that I was hard put to it to hold my laughter. And what his finall choice was I know not, he being still at it when I left. But I do know that noe make of capp, nor for that matter any other head-gear, cd have minimized his striking resemblance to a Barbary ape. A letter this morning from Aunt Lavina acquainting me of Cozen Edmund and Rachel Royds their keeping their golden wedding at Stubton Hall by Newark last week-end; having 3 of the bridesmaids, to wit Mrs. Mowbray Howard, my lady Hulton and my lady George Seymour, as well as the best man, Mr. R. W. Skipwith, to countenance them therein. A rare concurrence, methinks, of hymeneal confederates for any married couple to be able to reassemble in one place after 50 yrs. And I cannot recall any like instance within mine own expeerience. Bussing it into the City this afternoon, here sitting over against me a young mis in a blue jacket with a great oke-leaf broidered thereon. And did awaken me to this being Oke-Appil Day, which had till now slipt my memory. Strange that a young damsel of the present incurious and irreverent generatioun where old traditiouns are towards shd be thus blazoning her observance of this historick day, while I with mine inveterate respect for all such anniversaries shd somehow have let myself forget it. And the strangest thing of all, to my thinking, was this veneratioun for the past going side by side with obtrusively painted lipps and raddled finger-nails, in whose company one wd least have suspected it.

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Soviet Pact It is almost universally recognized that speed is now essential in concluding a pact between the Western Powers and Russia, observes "Time and Tide." Whatever may be said about delays in opening the negotiations, there is not at the moment any reason for supposing that present delays are deliberate. But the difficulties have been, and are still, very great indeed. The latest of these, and one of the most intractable, is the refusal of the three Baltic States, Finland, Estonia and Latvia, to accept a guarantee of their independence from the Western Powers. It is not that they do not trust the Western Powers—on the contrary, they trust no one else. But they believe that they are not, so to speak, in the direct line of fire in a potential conflict, and do not wish to call upon themselves the anger of Germany by being drawn into that line, as they would be if they received a guarantee from the Western Powers. They could not defend themselves against either a German or a Russian attack, and, much as they hate and distrust Germany, they would endure almost anything rather than become a battlefield. The chief task of the Western Powers and the Soviet Union will be to find a formula that will get over this difficulty. And speed is essential, for Germany derives ever greater encouragement from the delay in the negotiations. If they fail, she may regard failure as such a sign of weakness or inefficiency on the part of the Western Powers and their allies that she will consider the moment opportune for braking through what she regards as the encirclement.

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Charity Ramp The extent of the organization, says "Horse and Hound," behind the bogus charity ramp is indicated by the annual report of the London Mendicity Society. Soon a new Bill is expected to be passed that will provide that collectors must wear badges and obtain certificates from the Police, but meanwhile the sharks are making a drive to gather all they can before the new regulations can be enforced. It has been estimated that £2,000,000 a year is obtained by bogus charities, which shows that it has assumed the proportion of a serious social evil. One of the worst effects this sort of thing produces is wide-spread cynicism and indifference towards charitable work in general. It is not to be wondered at that many people refuse to give generously for fear that they are being victimized. If, however, the new Bill becomes law, it will benefit considerably the many deserving causes which are, unfortunately, dependent upon individual generosity. Nothing, except imprisonment for fraud, can stop the begging letter-writer, and the advent of the football pools opened up a new field for these gentry, the flood of letters which are sent to the winners being quite surprising. Here, again, it is difficult to distinguish between a genuine appeal and a piece of heartless roguery, and the only way, of course, to make sure is by personal investigation. The report of the Society mentions that one skilful idler is still going strong. This is the woman who is accompanied by her small son with a bandaged head. She is taking him to hospital, and her husband has just died, leaving her with seven cildren to support. This woman has been telling this story for five years, and quite probably will be able to retire before the regulations are tightened up.

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Living On Grass Can man live on grass? the "Listener" asks. Mr. J. R. B. Branson, a retired officer and farmer, has been experimenting. "Seriously you don't mean that you do eat grass?" he was asked in an interview. "I solemnly and seriously do," replied Mr. Branson. "I'm doing so jolly well on it that I want other people to know. I have learnt from scientists that grass contains all the most valuable vitamins, specially if you get it when the growth is fresh. When I was horse breeding and dairy farming I became fully alive to the efficiency of grass as food stuff. For the last two years grass has been a staple article of my diet. I am using more and more of it as I go on. And the results are gratifying. I have been an athlete all my life—rugger, rowing, riding—but under normal circumstances age puts a stop to that. Well, I'm rising 67 and although I have not got back all the resiliency of youth, I have more enthusiasm for life than I had as a young man in my prime. I went for a run just for the fun of the thing this morning, and I have cycled over 90 miles on occasions without getting tired. There is another aspect of grass eating too—it reduces the cost of living enormously. I eat it raw, but, of course, it must be made appetizing. I eat mine with raw carrots, beetroot and brown sugar, and it goes down very well. My breakfast this morning came off the Balham bowling green. Young grass is rich in chlorophyl, the stuff they sell in tablets these days. I assure you, and scientific experiments confirm my view, that if we could make grass-eating universal, we could produce four or five times as much natural food per acre as we do now by growing wheat. When you think of the number of people starving in the world at the moment, what enormous benefit grass-eating will be to humanity. Let me give you one word of warning. Don't rush off and think you can live on grass immediately. You can't do in a moment what I have done in two years. Gently does it. Try some grass in your next salad to begin with."

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German Finance The new German financial plan came into effect on May 1, points out the "Economist." The first months's experience showed both the strength and some of the weaknesses of the scheme. The essence of the scheme was that 40 per cent. of sums due by the Reich to contractors are paid in tax certificates. The certificates are of two types; type I can be used to pay taxes six months after their issue, and bear no interest; type II will be accepted in payment of taxes at 112 per cent. of their face value three years. In order to induce contractors to hold type I for more than the minimum six months, their ownership confers certain privilges of increasing the deductions from taxable income allowed for depreciation of plant. This attraction was sufficient to ensure a very brisk demand for certificates of type I as they made their appearance in recent weeks and their price on the Berlin Bourse rose at one time to a premium of nearly 5 per cent. But for the same reason the demand could in any case only be temporary, since to secure the depreciation privileges in 1939 it is necessary to hold the certificates for six months before December 31. In one respect, therefore, the new system has met with success. But there are signs that even this success is embarrassing to the Government, which is beginning to fear the effect on its tax revenue of the exercise of depreciation privileges on a large scale. The minimum period of holding certificates to qualify for these privileges has been raised to sixteen months, with the result that the price of certificates on the Bourse fell. In other respects, also, the results of the new system have not been so fortunate. One purpose of their introduction was stated originally to be the freeing of the capital, and the Frankfurter "Zeitung," which is very well informed on financial matters, understands that Reich issues of about Rm. 8,000 millions will be made this year—that is, of about the same amount as last year. Moreover, it has proved impossible for contractors to pass on the certificates to their own suppliers, as was originally envisaged.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min. 69.0	Max. 86.0
Same date, 1938	Min. 66.0	Max. 75.5

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min. 68.7	Max. 86.5
Same date, 1938	Min. 65.8	Max. 77.5

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 30th:—Pressure rather normal and steady over Japan and China. South-easterly winds to the north of the Saddles, variable to south-westerly in the south. Fine, cloudy and hot weather in China.

State on the morning of the 1st:—Fine weather. East-south-easterly breezes. Pressure rather high and rising.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine and cloudy weather with south-easterly to south-westerly winds around Shantung. Cloudy, overcast in places with south-easterly to southerly winds over our regions and the Coast to the south of the Saddles. Thundery in the Yangtze Valley.

Britain's Stand Now Clear to World

Mr. Neville Chamberlain to Broadcast Today; Commitment to Aid Poland If Germany Attempts Danzig Seizure by Force Remains Unchanged

London, June 30.

BRITAIN'S determination to resist further aggression in Europe would be emphasized once again when the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, broadcasts on Sunday, it was learned today. The Premier would also stress the great effort made in Britain to attain a state of full preparation for whatever might happen.

Meanwhile, in the absence of official confirmation that Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler would shortly visit Danzig, British political quarters confined themselves today to stating only that "all comments on Lord Halifax's speech would be to no purpose." They stated simply that the Foreign Secretary's address had categorically established Britain's attitude. The Polish situation, they added, would be thoroughly discussed by Lord Halifax while Sir William Howard Kennard, British Ambassador in Warsaw, is here on furlough. These parleys would be of great importance.

"Perfectly fantastic" was the way authoritative British quarters today described reports alleging that the War Office had warned members of the Territorial Army to be prepared for an emergency towards the end of the summer. Certain plans were drafted by the War Office two months ago, they declared. These plans called for a considerable number of Reserves and Territorial soldiers to take part in periods of training of variable length, up to six weeks, during July, August and September.

These periods would be served in addition to the regular annual periods of training to which all members of the Territorial Army are subject. By this means, the regular and Territorial Armies would be ready to face any emergency this summer, they said.

The climax to the Danzig drama will most probably be reached when the Free City's Senate proclaims its attachment to the Reich. Germany will wait for Polish reactions and it is then that Europe will be at the crossroads of war or peace.

It was thus that competent observers analyzed the Danzig situation today. They pointed out that Germany has already begun a movement progressively leading to the annexation of the Free City.

First signs of the movement were the arrivals of young Germans in Danzig, followed by arms and munitions and general war supplies. Military preparations were taken along the Vistula River. In the wake of these definite measures came rumours that Fuehrer Adolf Hitler would visit Danzig on or about July 20.

This campaign, the observers stated, was leading to the Senate's vote and proclamation of attachment to the Reich. At this juncture, war or peace would be in the balance.

If Poland did not react strongly, Germany would go ahead and inform third parties of the reincorporation of Danzig. The Army would not have to intervene.

If there were Polish reactions, Fieldmarshal Hermann Goering, Reich's Air Minister, would probably go to Danzig to test Polish reactions. Only after this would decisive action be envisaged.

Poland's Stand Decisive

All would then depend on Poland's stand, Conservative leaders agreed with the observers. If Poland went to war, there must remain no doubt that Britain would immediately support her.

The British envoys in Warsaw and Berlin were shortly to go on furlough, they pointed out, and the Ambassadors, Sir William Howard Kennard and Sir Neville Henderson respectively, when in Lonton, would confer with Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary.

Many Conservatives asserted today that Britain should take measures other than just strong speeches to show her determination to uphold Poland's vital interests

Mr. Winston Churchill, prominent Tory M.P. and former Cabinet member, might again be included in the Government, or Labour members might be taken into the Cabinet, they suggested. Such decisive steps would be proof of Britain's resolve not to tolerate any further aggression in Europe, they asserted.—Havas.

Rumours Unconfirmed

London, July 1.

There is no official confirmation of the rumours current in both Paris and London that a coup may be expected in Danzig this week-end. Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, however is remaining in London to keep in touch with all developments. The British Ambassador to Poland, Sir Howard Kennard, was received by Lord Halifax this morning. Enquiries in official quarters elicited the information that Sir Howard was due to commence his summer leave. While in England on leave, the Ambassador will of course call at the Foreign Office, but the suggestion that he has been asked to return for special consultation is denied.—Wireless through Reuter.

England to Support Poland

London, July 1.

A British Government spokesman last night reaffirmed that any forcible attempt to alter the status of Danzig in a manner threatening Poland's independence would unavoidably result in a general war-involving Britain.

The statement was made in response to a United Press request for comment on the declaration of Polish Government spokesman who said any Nazi-inspired violence in Danzig would be regarded as cause for war.

The British Government today led a campaign of official declarations and press comment warning Germany against future aggression.

Recent official speeches and editorials in the press have called for a strong British stand and asserted in strong terms that Britain is rearmed and ready to fight if necessary.

The officially-led campaign apparently was designed to convince German Nazis that Britain is determined to accept the warlike Nazi challenge in an effort to ward off the possibility of an explosion at Danzig.

Unconfirmed reports said the British Government intends to widen the present conscription age.

The British Fleet is ready for instant action.

The British Air Force has expanded beyond the hopes of the most optimistic and is ready for the biggest air manœuvres in Britain's history on July 8.—United Press.

Poland Will Fight For Danzig

Britain Informed Aid Would Be Expected If Hostilities Result

Warsaw, July 1.

Any German attempt to seize control of Danzig, even through an internal coup, will be regarded as a cause for war by Poland, a Polish Government spokesman declared last night.

"Poland is prepared to take counter-measures should any initiative be taken at Danzig," he said. "Any act of violence in Danzig, initiated from within or without, will be regarded as a cause for war and a treaty violation just as it would be regarded by England in accord with the speech made yesterday by the British Foreign Secretary, Viscount Halifax."

The statement notified Britain that Poland would expect her aid in the event of any Nazi putsch in Danzig aimed at reuniting Danzig with the Reich.—United Press.

Close Watch Being Kept

Warsaw, July 1.

The Polish attitude regarding Danzig appears to be stiffening. An official spokesman stated today that the Polish authorities knew certain preparations were being made in Danzig.

"We are keeping a careful watch," he declared. "and every action in Danzig will be followed by exactly adapted counter-measures on our part."

Referring to Lord Halifax's speech, in which Britain's intention to resist aggression was again stressed, the spokesman said: "It is a clear warning and it would be most unfortunate for peace if this is not understood now. Both in Britain and in Poland, any act of violence, whether it comes from within or from without the Free City, will be regarded as an act of war."—Reuter.

Britain Could Hit Back Hard

Supply Minister Satisfied By Arms Factories Output

London, June 30.

Britain had a tremendous reserve, declared Mr. Leslie Ourgin, Minister of Supply, when he spoke at Glasgow today.

"This country," he continued, "will not listen to claims by force from any quarter.

"We are determined to seek peace, but there are limits beyond which Britain and the British Empire will never consent to go.

"There are many foreign publicists whom I would willingly take round the factories I regularly visit.

"It would increase attention and diminish the crescendo if they found the extent to which this country, if attacked, would hit back and given an account of itself, as it has always done in the past."

Mr. Burgin, who had spent the day touring armament factories in the Clyde-side area, in concluding his speech, expressed great satisfaction with what had been accomplished.—Reuter.

Guerillas Active Near Tientsin

Gunfire Distinctly Heard In Concessions

Tientsin, July 1.

Desultory firing, ascribed by usually reliable Chinese sources to daring raids by guerilla bands, was heard in the concessions last night, apparently from the direction of the native city.

About 10 p.m., these Chinese sources state, a band of Chinese guerillas attacked the power station in the northern part of the Chinese City, and forced the employees to throw the main switch, extinguishing lights throughout the native city.

About the same time, they continue, another band of guerillas attacked a Chinese police station in the ex-Austrian Concession, killing one Chinese sergeant.

Simultaneously, a third band is said to have attacked a police station in the western suburb, killing two Chinese police officers.

The guerillas are reported to have obtained a large quantity of arms and ammunition from these stations. —Reuter.

Canadians Bombed on June 23

Chungking, July 1.

Further detailed reports received by the British Diplomatic Mission here reveal that the Rev. A. A. Caswell and Mrs. Caswell, of the Canadian Holiness Movement Mission in Changteh, west Hunan, were killed on June 23, and not June 24 as previously reported. They met their death during a Japanese air raid on Changteh.—Reuter.

Troops Crowd Streets in Berlin

More Men, Arms, Big Guns Entering Danzig Free City

Berlin, July 1.

Thousands of excited Germans jammed the streets here last night when motorized Army deachments and an Air Force division unexpectedly paraded along Unter den Linden. Official quarters declined to disclose their destination.

Chancellor Adolf Hitler plans to visit Danzig between July 20-30 and the Free City question is expected to come to a climax in the following week when Danzig will be returned to the Reich without a general war, Nazi quarters predicted here today. Government leaders stress, however, that Germany is ready for anything in case Poland, Britain and France live up to their statements regarding Nazi seizure of Danzig as a cause for war.

Chancellor Hitler and Signor Benito Mussolini of Italy have been in frequent telephone conversations in the past few days, it was disclosed today. The situation at present is believed to be almost the exact parallel of the Czechoslovakia crisis of last September although no formal demands have yet been made by Germany.

Nazi sources do not believe that Germany at present will attempt to take a corridor to Danzig, although they contend that eventually Germany must have such a connection with the Free City. Nazi quarters indicated they were relying on "boring from within" tactics to obtain control of Danzig.—United Press.

Rumours Not Denied

Berlin, June 30.

A report that Herr Hitler plans to visit Danzig on about July 20 is being discussed in foreign political quarters here this afternoon.

Officials refuse to deny the report, but say they have absolutely no reason to suppose it is true. They think it most unlikely that Herr Hitler would plan such details so far ahead.

The report suggested that Herr Hitler's visit might be preceded by the visits of other Nazi leaders, including Field-Marshal Hermann Goering, Reich Air Minister. It is also rumoured that Germany is considering abandoning the practice of notifying the Polish authorities before important German personages visit Danzig.

It is remarked that Danzig is scarcely in the news at the moment, and neither official quarters nor the press display the least excitement about the situation.—Reuter.

German Planes Over Danzig

Danzig, June 30.

Twenty planes from the Reich circled over Danzig today en route to East Prussia. A group of Army leaders in mufti has arrived by express train to take over the command of the Freikorps, Storm Trooper members of which are already patrolling the streets under the new name of Heimwehr (Home Army).

The new arrivals are hardly balanced by the influx of Poles. Nazi circles, nevertheless, profess genuine fear that Poland is adopting German tactics and may strike first. However this may be the nerves of Danzig citizens are strained watching the planes, knowledge of Polish guns trained on the city and of military preparations just beyond its frontiers.

Although he has made no statement, it is understood that Professor Burckhardt, Commissioner of the League of Nations in Danzig, takes a serious view of the situation.—Reuter

Arms, Troops Reach Danzig

London, July 1.

Sixteen large guns arrived in Danzig last night aboard a tug boat from the German garrison town of Gumbinner in East Prussia, Exchange Telegraph reported last night from Poland. The exact size of the guns was not known but they were believed to include some anti-aircraft guns. Several hundred Nazi storm troopers also were alleged to have arrived in Danzig.—United Press.

German Artillery Brought

Gdynia, June 30.

Carrying war materials, mainly anti-aircraft guns, several ships arrived in Danzig from Germany today, a reliable Polish source disclosed tonight. The "archie" guns, he stated, would be placed along the coast of Danzig territory and on the hills around the Free City to form an iron ring of protection.

He also stated that the corps of German "volunteers" which have recently arrived in Danzig would probably be organized into a body to be named "Danziger Heimwehr."

Polish authorities in the Free City kept themselves fully informed of this progressive militarization, which was carried out openly in contravention to the Constitution of the Free City, this source declared.—Havas.

The Queen Feels the Sun

For the first time during the recent Royal tour of Canada and visit to the United States, the Queen felt the sun when she arrived at Victoria, B.C. The photograph was taken while she watched a parade of the Royal Canadian Navy, at which the King presented the King's Colour to the navy.

U.S. Arms Embargo Upheld In Close House Vote

Vorys Amendment to Bloom Neutrality Bill Considered Major Setback for New Deal

Washington, July 1.

THE House of Representatives voted last night the Bloom project for an amendment of the Neutrality Act including the amendment presented by Republican John. M. Vorys of Ohio for the continuance of the arms embargoes clause. The vote was secured by a narrow majority of twelve votes, with 200 representatives voting for and 188 against.

The main difference in the new Act compared to the former one is the insertion of the clause specifying that "war implements" exports to the belligerents are not to be included in the embargo. According to quarters close to the Congress, "war implements" exports include motor cars, aeroplanes and other items which are not considered as war weapons. The former Neutrality Act equally banned the exports of the latters.

One clause of the new Neutrality Act specifies that American citizens travelling in belligerent ships will do this at their own risks.

The Act does not apply to South American Republics.

The main provisions of the Neutrality Act as voted by the House of Representatives last night are as follow:

A proclamation is to be published as soon as either the President or Congress ascertains the existence of a state of war between foreign nations.

Upon the publication of such a proclamation, no American citizen or concern will be allowed:

Firstly, to sell any arms and or ammunition except war implements to any of the belligerents unless the transfer of the property of the said goods to a non-American has been effected.

Secondly, to grant the belligerents loans or credits, except ordinary commercial short-term credits not exceeding a term of ninety days.

Thirdly to collect whatever funds in favour of any of the belligerents.

Finally, the President will be empowered to close the entry of all American harbours or territorial waters to the navies to armed merchantmen of the belligerents.

Setback for New Deal

Political observers here were unanimous in the opinion that the inclusion of the Vorys Amendment in the Neutrality Act meant a severe defeat for the present Administration.

The Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, had proclaimed in various occasions the desire of the Administration not to be restricted in the sales of war material to nations at war; the Vorys Amendment entails certain restriction in trade with belligerent countries although these restrictions have as yet to be clearly specified.

The defeat suffered by President Roosevelt in his foreign policy is attributed to the fact that for the first time in many months, the Republican Party has achieved almost complete cohesion, all Republican Representatives but two voting against the Government desires; that the number of Democrats going over to the other side has been much bigger than expected and that the leaders of the Democratic majority have waited up to the last moment to point out to the House the profound international repercussions which a modification of the Neutrality Act would entail and the encouragement the Vorys Amendment might provide for aggressor countries in Europe.

Political commentators considered that the new text of the law, as passed today by the House, was not yet final as they expected the Senate to bring important modifications in it; it was however, generally believed that the Upper Chamber would not discuss the Neutrality Legislation during the few remaining days of the present session.

Feeling Runs High

Feeling was particularly high when Republican John M. Vorys of Ohio presented his resolution providing for the continuance of the arms embargoes clause. The Administration at once rose up against this amendment, but was beaten when the division revealed a two-ballot majority in favour of the amendment, the count being 159 to 157.

Members of the House today appeared to be more concerned with the results of their actions at home, among their electors, than with the results on international affairs.

Passage of the Vorys amendment, cutting the ground from under the cardinal point of the Bloom project, has not put an end to the battle as supporters of the Bloom scheme still have hopes of carrying their fight for revision through to a successful conclusion.

To date, they have presented their amendments as being more in conformity with international law and the United States' traditional policies than a steadfast neutrality law.

Many Amendments Offered

Reversion to neutrality governed by international law appeared to be a course of action less favoured yesterday than it was the previous two days.

Speakers seemed to be chiefly concerned with keeping the United States out of war and, following their arguments, with avoiding any measure that might show the United States' favouritism for any special nations.

Republican Francis H. Case of South Dakota presented an amendment to the Bloom project, providing that the Neutrality Act should not apply to South American nations cooperating with non-American nations in any war. This amendment was precipitately rejected by a vote of raised hands after Republican John J. Johnson of Illinois pointed out that it would be contrary to engagements assumed by the Administration at the last Pan-American Conference.

In the course of debates, Republican John M. Robinson of Kentucky pronounced himself against the delivery of arms and munitions to belligerents. After arms, the United States would be compelled to send men, he said. He therefore voiced strong opposition to abolition of the arms embargoes, as provided by the Bloom project.

President's Discretion

Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers, Republican of Massachusetts, then tabled an amendment restricting the President's discretionary powers to control the entry of belligerent nations' warships and submarines into American ports. It was rejected by a vote of raised hands.

All this procedure, extending into the late afternoon, did nothing but obscure the problem of neutrality revision. The many impromptu amendments presented by individuals showed that the majority in the House was "floating" and not clearly defined or positive.

Adoption of the Vorys amendment yesterday, for continuance of arms embargoes, showed that many Democrats had either forgotten or else failed to understand the explanation of the Secretary of state, Mr. Cordell Hull, that it was impossible to distinguish between true armaments and materials that might be used in warfare.

The Vorys amendment tried to make this distinction in providing for embargoes specifically on arms, munitions and aeroplanes exports to belligerent nations.

Observers pointed out that the only motive behind the revisionary drive was the wish to annul embargoes on arms and thus facilitate supplying the peace-loving States of the world.—Havas.

French Cabinet Informed of War Preparations by Reich, Italy

Poland Determined to Fight; Crisis Expected Late in July as Germany Moves Troops

Paris, July 1.

The French Premier, M. Edouard Daladier called the Council of Minister to meet here this morning to study the European crisis as official dispatches reaching the French Foreign Office and General Staff reported an acceleration in German and Italian war preparations.

These reports were accompanied by dispatches from Danzig which said additional German officers had arrived there to organize a Free Corps which is expected to seize Danzig for the Reich.

The meeting today will decide what military and financial measures should be taken in France to meet any possible emergency, to defend France's frontier and to fulfill France committments on the Continent.

The French Foreign Minister, M. Georges Bonnet, read to the Ministers a detailed report which the French Ambassador to Poland, M. Leon Noel, brought personally from Warsaw.

The report, it was understood, stressed the fact that Poland is determined to retaliate with her troops if Germany attacks her directly or indirectly or moves into Danzig.

Meanwhile, informed quarters reported the Danzig crisis would not reach its peak until late July because Germany at present does not have enough troops in the area nor the necessary fortifications to risk a successful putsch in Danzig.

The fortifications are understood to be under constructon but they are not yet completed.—United Press.

Unlimited Armament Bonds

Paris, July 1.

A decree authorising the issue to an unlimited amount of the two-year 3½ per cent. armament bonds was published in today's official journal.

Important financial measures are expected to be discussed at today's meeting of the Cabinet.

A decree will be submitted for President Lebrun's signature providing for the appropriation of a credit of Fs. 15,000,000 to be opened for defence needs, under the decree passed on April 21.—Reuter.

Stricter Quarantine Measures in Force

Quarantine regulations at the mouth of the Whangpoo River at Woosung have been made more strict in view of the danger of epidemics being brought in by ships, a Japanese Navy spokesman revealed at the press conference yesterday.

He added that the stricter measures began yesterday morning and that the quarantine service was being handled by the Maritime Customs. All ships would be stopped and inspected by the quarantine officer, who would board the vessels at Woosung, he concluded.

Japanese Regulate Swatow Shipping

Third Party Vessels to Call There Once a Week Navy Spokesman States

Mr. Y. Miura, Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai, informed the Consular Body yesterday that third party vessels will be allowed to call at Swatow once a week, a Japanese Navy spokesman stated at the press conference yesterday.

All vessels going to Swatow would be required to give 24 hours notice to the Japanese Navy and, for the time being, the only goods which the Japanese authorities would permit being landed would be foodstuffs destined for third party nationals and mail, he continued.

A request had been made, he said, to the authorities of those nations who had only one or two nationals at Swatow that their mail should be carried in the ships which would call at Swatow once a week.

Asked if the ss. Yunnan, which was due at Swatow from Tientsin on Saturday morning, had arrived, the spokesman replied that he had no news of this but she may have been allowed to go in if she had given notice to the Japanese authorities.

On account of high seas, he added, naval operations against Foochow had not been completed and there seemed to have been a local understanding in connection with the evacuation of third party nationals.

Wenchow Attack Held Up

Chinese reports so far indicate that although the Japanese have been trying to attack Wenchow they have not yet succeeded in entering the mainland in order to attack the district itself. It is admitted that the district has been bombed and that five war vessels are anchored off the port, but fighting is going on only on Yuhwan (Island) between Haimen and Wenchow where the Chinese forces are offering strong resistance, having obtained reinforcements.

On Friday morning, three war vessels arrived near Yuhwan and the Japanese tried in vain to land more than 100 men, because of Chinese resistance. On the island itself Chinese forces are said to have retreated to mountainous regions, trying to lure the Japanese further inland. After the retreat reinforcements arrived and a counter attack was started.

The river leading to Wenchow has been mined by the Chinese soldiers who have been ordered to fire upon all boats proceeding to any east Chekiang coastal district. Goods in Wenchow awaiting transportation to Shanghai are being moved away into the hinterland.

The Japanese also tried to land at Chuanshan, another coastal district just opposite Tinghai, evidently for the purpose of attacking Wenchow, but their efforts have been futile. They made the attempt on Friday. Under the cover of gun fire from two war vessels, Japanese bluejackets in launches failed to effect a landing, it is stated.

Soviet Warships Seen Off Gotland

Stockholm, July 1.

During the last days a number of Soviet warships have been observed off the coast of Gotland, including the cruiser Kiroff and five destroyers. Swedish coastal guards have been instructed to keep a close watch and report every movement of the foreign warships in the immediate neighbourhood of Swedish waters.—Trans-Ocean.

U.S. Silver Price Maintained

Washington, July 1.

The Treasury Department yesterday maintained the foreign silver purchase price at 38 cents.—United Press.

Blockade Tightened Up in Tientsin Area

Japanese Military Show Little Confidence In Negotiations in Tokyo; Lighters Held

Tientsin, July 1.

NEW regulations tightening up the blockade of the British and French Concessions here were put into effect this morning by the Japanese military authorities.

They announced last night that the measures would be enforced, indicating that they did not place much confidence in the approaching negotiations in Tokyo.

Traffic hours have been reduced by one hour and a half. Traffic is permitted from 5 o'clock in the morning to 7.30 in the evening, instead of until 9 as heretofore.

No traffic is allowed on Yamaguchi Road, thus reducing the seven searching stations to six. One-way traffic only is allowed on "Asahi Road." Traffic on Fuyo Road is restricted to motor cars.

Vessels plying the Pei River must undergo examination in the vicinity of the Yamaguchi Road searching station, as well as at the present river barrier.

Japanese military authorities here announced last night that they were determined to carry on the concession blockade with renewed vigour regardless of the progress of Anglo-Japanese negotiations in Tokyo. The Tokyo talks will begin next week. —Domei.

Lighters Detained

Tientsin, July 1.

Confirmation that British-owned lighters were being detained by the Japanese authorities at Hsinho, 30 miles down river from Tientsin, was given by the Japanese military spokesman at a press conference here today.

When the lighters passed Hsinho under tow on Thursday, he said, they were hailed by Japanese sentries, but refused to halt, whereupon a warning shot was fired. The tugs towing the lighters stopped and abandoned them.

The lighters, he added, were still at Hsinho. They had not been claimed by their owners, but the Japanese authorities would first examine the export cargo, carried by one of them before taking further action.

The owners, it is understood, are taking steps in an attempt to secure the release of the lighters.

The lighters in question belong to the Taku Tug and Lighter Co. and to Messrs. Butterfield and Swire.—Reuter.

Sloop Investigates

Tientsin, July 1.

The British sloop H.M.S. Lowestoft, is to arrive at Tangku tomorrow morning to investigate the holding up of British tugs and lighters and also the firing of warning shots by Japanese sentries in their efforts to halt the British vessels, it was announced this evening.

Although the lighters of the Taku Tug and Lighter Company were released today, the company reported that the Japanese had halted the vessels by firing warning shots. One of the shots fired by the Japanese hit a Russian employee aboard a towing tug. The wound was very slight, since the bullet grazed his shoulder.

First reports of the increasing strictness of Japanese examination of vessels on the river were received yesterday when it was revealed that the lighters which left the British Bund with cargo for machine vessels at Taku Bar were held up at Tangku. They were still held yesterday although they left Tientsin at 2 p.m. on Thursday.—United Press.

Tokyo Not Hopeful

Tokyo, July 1.

The Japanese press continues to be not optimistic over the forthcoming Tientsin situation, stressing that the success or the failure of the Tokyo Anglo-Japanese conference on the negotiations will depend on whether Britain is willing to reconsider its "pro-Chiang Kai-shek" policy.

The "Asahi" considers Britain's role as that of "a defendant and a disturber of peace and order in Tientsin."

It deduces that if Britain agrees to co-operate with Japan in maintaining peace and order in Tientsin, and in "furthering China's economic welfare" it would entail the sharing of "Japanese responsibilities in occupied areas."

The ::Hochi" declares that the Japanese representatives "must stick to the policy already agreed upon by the Government and the Japanese authorities in Tientsin," as the yielding of a single step will mean "an important hitch in the holy task of reconstructing East Asia."

The "Yomiuri" asserts that Japan, in the conference, will persist in demanding Britain's future co-operation in constructive work in military, economic and political fields.—Reuter.

Japanese Army Opposed To Tokyo Parleys

Peiping, July 1.

Local Japanese military authorities, as their colleagues in Tientsin, indicated today that they were suspicious of the Tokyo conference over the Tientsin situation and hoped that the Tokyo authorities would "appreciate our attitude." A Japanese military spokesman said that the British evidently believed that Tokyo's attitude in the negotiations would be more mild than that of the Japanese military in north China. The Japanese army believes such an attitude might lead to an "unfavourable compromise," the spokesman said, adding that the Japanese military hoped that the Tokyo authorities would support the Japanese military stand. The Japanese army is not directly connected with the anti-British campaign, the spokesman said, but he admitted that "it is generally true that everything happening in north China is connected with the Japanese Army."—United Press.

Bengal Governor

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 1.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Arthur Herbert, Conservative M.P. for Monmouth and Assistant Whip, has been appointed Governor of Bengal in succession to Sir John Woodhead. The appointment dates from November.—Reuter.

Blockade May Go On for Years

Japan to Insist on Change In British Attitude, Says Tientsin Consul

Tokyo, July 1.

Japanese authorities were prepared to blockade the British Concession at Tientsin—and make the present regulations more stringent—for one or two years, "until or unless Britain forsakes her anti-Japanese, Pro-Chiang Kai-shek policy," Mr. Hikozo Tanaka, Japanese Senior Consul at Tientsin, told newspaper men at Shimonoseki today.

Mr. Tanaka arrived at Shimonoseki this morning by ferry boat from Korea, accompanied by Mr. Sotomatsu Kato, newly appointed Minister-at-large in Shanghai. They entrained for Tokyo, where they will participate in the Anglo-Japanese negotiations for a settlement of the Tientsin dispute.

Everything depended on the British attitude, and success in the coming parleys here could not be expected unless Britain showed sincerity, Mr. Kato said.

British Attitude Unchanged

Mr. Tanaka said the attitude of British authorities at Tientsin had undergone no change since the Japanese isolation measures were imposed on June 14. He added that the French authorities there "sympathetically understood" the Japanese stand.

Referring to the case of Mr. George Smith, the Briton detained for several days after allegedly striking a Chinese policeman at a searching barrier, Mr. Tanaka said this episode and similar ones were not the major issues at Tientsin. The British authorities had ordered Mr. Smith to leave the city, Mr. Tanaka stated.

The Root cause of the whole trouble, he declared, consisted of the "pro-Chiang Kai-shek and anti-Japanese policy of Britain."—Domei.

All Ready for Talks

Tokyo, July 1.

Mr. Sotomatsu Kato, Counsellor of the Japanese Embassy in Manchoukuo, and Mr. Tanaka, the Japanese Consul in Tientsin, are due to arrive at Tokyo station on Sunday morning to participate in the discussions on the Anglo-Japanese crisis at Tientsin.

Major G. A. Herbert, the British Superintending Consul in Tientsin, is expected to arrive in Yokohama on Sunday afternoon aboard the British destroyer Decoy.

Meanwhile, "representatives of the Japanese military authorities in Tientsin are entering Tokyo one by one," according to the "Asahi."

The journal forecasts that the forthcoming conference between the British and Japanese representatives on the Tientsin situation will be started by the Foreign Minister, Mr. Hachiro Arita.

The British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, it says, will take up the more general aspects of the Tientsin issue. This will be followed by representatives of the two sides dealing with concrete points at a round-table discussion at which Japan will be represented by Mr. Arita, Mr. Kato, Mr. Tanaka, an undivulged number of representatives of the Japanese military authorities in Tientsin, and Foreign Office observers.

Britain, the "Asahi" adds, will be represented by Sir Robert Craigie, Major Herbert and some members of the Embassy staff.—Reuter.

Italians Take Grave View of Prospects

Negotiations Impossible, Says Signor Gayda

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Rome, June 30.

Signor Gayda, Il Duce's mouthpiece, in commenting today on Lord Halifax's speech, writes that the impossibility of negotiations at present is entirely and directly due to the encirclement policy, which is an antithesis of collaboration, a living denial of that peace under which it tries to mask itself.

Since Munich, he says, Anglo-French policy had been in open reaction against every principle of collaboration. The encirclement policy, he concludes, is merely one of intransigeance and of war.

The view in well-informed circles here is that Lord Halifax's speech contains no concrete proposal which might tend towards the opening of conversations, thus leading to an European detente. It is felt, on the contrary, that the speech appears to close the door.

The speech made by the French Prime Minister, M. Edouard Daladier, is also regarded as negative.

It is felt that the Totalitarian States can only take note that Anglo-French policy is stiffening, and if it hardens, it can only render tension more acute and lead to serious complications.—Reuter.

Silver Quotation

LONDON METALS AND N.Y. CROSS RATE

London, July 1.

Silver quotations were slightly firmer today, the following prices being fixed :—

	June 30	July 1
London spot	18d.	18 1/16d.
" forward	17 11/16d.	17 11/16d.
" gold	148/6d.	148/6½d.
London/New York:		
One pound U.S.	$4.6813	$4.6813
One U.S. dollar	51.267d.	51.267d.

—Reuter.

Chinese Advancing Towards Canton Along Railway

Plainclothes Troops Near City; Japanese Claim Successes in Round-ups of Stragglers

Chungking, July 1.

SUPPORTING the Chinese advance to the south along the Canton-Hankow Railway towards Canton, Chinese forces on the left flank, east of the railway, are pushing southward from Tsunghua and Huahsien, according to Chinese reports received here today.

One detachment, advancing southward from Tsunghua, they add, captured Shengkang on June 29, after Chinese artillery had heavily bombarded the Japanese defence works in that area.

The detachment pushing southward from Huahsien is said at present to be engaging Japanese troops south of Huahsien, in the vicinity of Lungkouchwang.

At the same time, Chinese plain clothes men are reported to have appeared in the suburbs of Canton, in the vicinity of Lungyentung, Shaho and Yentang, "in order to create disturbances in the Japanese rear."—Reuter.

Surprise Attack

Hankow, July 1.

Launching a surprise attack in the middle of the night when Chinese sentries are prone to grow sleepy at their posts, a Japanese detachment put to rout about 4,500 troops of the 57th Division after 90 minutes of brisk fighting in the vicinity of Siaoling, about 15 kilometres south-west of Fengsin in north-western Kiangsi, on Thursday.

Receiving a tip that the Chinese were massing near Siaoling, the Japanese threw a ring of machine-guns around the town at 3 o'clock in the morning.

At a given signal the guns cut loose on all sides and the Chinese roused from their repose to find themselves apparently hemmed in by an almost invisible foe whose number could only be guessed at in the enveloping darkness. The Chinese fought desperately for a time, then broke and fled to the south-west, leaving about 100 dead.

Skirmish Near Fengsin

In another mopping-up skirmish in the hills west of Kanchowchai, between Anyi and Tsingan, both north of Fengsin, Japanese forces routed westward about 200 guerilla bandits in the vicinity of Wanshoushan, after a half hour exchange of fire. The Chinese left 20 dead.

Continuing their attacks on guerillas led by Gen. Liao Lei in the Tapieh Mountains, army planes on Friday raided Lotien in eastern Hupeh and Lihwang in western Anhwei, according to a message received here from an undisclosed air base.

Heavy damage was said to have been done to the guerilla bases. Similar raids were made on Wednesday and Thursday in that region.

Attacked three times, Lotien's military establishments were reduced to ruins, the message said.

The unit which raided Lihwang showered bombs on the city and caused large fires at five or six locations.

Three other aerial squadrons attacked Lihwang at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and scored several direct hits on a fuel depot. Huge pillars of smoke and flame were seen spouting from the bombed objectives.—Domei.

North Shansi Fighting

Taiyuan, July 1.

Japanese forces routed about 7,500 Chinese troops of the newly organized 2nd Division and the Shansi Peace Preservation Corps in mopping-up operations in the valleys of the Huto River, west of the Wuhai Mountains in northern Shansi, during the five days from June 19 to 23, according to field headquarters dispatches received here today.

The Japanese captured six light machine guns, three automatic rifles, 26 regulation rifles and 8,600 rounds of ammunition, 110 hand grenades, 39 old Chinese swords and three field telephone sets.

Damage in Air Raids

Heavy damage was done to military establishments in Nanyang, in south-western Honan, by Japanese naval aircraft which raided the town on Thursday, according to a communiqué issued by the headquarters of the China Sea Fleet on Friday. A large number of Chinese troops were concentrated in the town.

Another naval air unit raided Neisiang, west of Nanyang, the same day and blew up military establishments around the aerodrome, the statement said. Fires were observed at three places. All the planes returned safely, according to the communiqué.

Naval raiders on Thursday also attacked Chenhai in north-eastern Chekiang and bombed the Changtiaotsui and Peichishan Forts and neighbouring military establishments. The Peichishan Fort was demolished, the communiqué claimed. Two godowns also were razed.

In South China naval bombers, co-operating with army forces near Chaochow in eastern Kwangtung on Wednesday, caused considerable damage to godowns, barracks and military positions at Hingning, the communiqué continued.

Another air unit assisting in mopping-up drives on Hainan Island bombed Chinese bases in the vicinity of Lokwon in the western part of the island.—Domei.

Watchman Badly Injured by Axe

Nantao Quarrel Results in Fight; Japanese Soldiers Wound Chinese on Creek

A private argument which arose between two watchmen in Nantao yesterday afternoon resulted in one of them being removed in haste to a Settlement hospital while the other was just as quickly removed by the Shanghai Special Municipality Police—but not to hospital.

The first man, who was suffering from a badly gashed body, including severe wounds on the head, chest and arms, had the worst of the argument. During the heat of the quarrel he said, the other watchman grabbed an axe and wielded it.

The victim, however, managed to put up a little resistance and made so much noise that the police were attracted to the scene. An ambulance was summoned by them and he was removed to hospital, the other man, plus axe for evidence, being removed into custody.

A Fire Brigade ambulance received another call yesterday afternoon to the Customs Jetty where a Chinese, suffering from a gunshot wound, was taken to hospital after coming from Nanzing. He is being questioned as to how he received the wound.

Also reported to the police was a shooting affair on Soochow Creek, where a Chinese of the coolie type, working on a sampan or other such vessel, received a wound in the forearm as the result of a shot fired by a Japanese soldier. It is believed that the shot was fired at random by the Japanese to clear a way for their launch and that the injured man happened to be in the path of the bullet.

Hua Hsing Notes Taken By Post Office

Statement Issued by New Bank Here

Hua Hsing Commercial Bank notes were being accepted by Post Offices in Japanese-occupied territory in Central China beginning yesterday the management of the institution announced last night in the course of its bi-monthly statement of circulation.

Hua Hsing Commercial Bank currency in circulation on June 30, the management revealed, stood at Yuan 607,429.20, whereof Yuan 6,138.20 consisted of subsidiary notes. A pound sterling equivalent of Yuan 607,429.20 was held by the bank in reserve, according to the announcement.

While the amount in circulation as June ended was Yuan 1,737.80 higher than on June 15, this was caused principally by increased subsidiary note circulation which advanced Yuan 3,102.80 as compared to the previous statement, while note circulation decreased by Yuan 1,365.00, the management stated.

Average monthly circulation during June was Yuan 640,801.30, with Yuan 1,031,478.50 the highest, and Yuan 300,374.80, the lowest, according to the bank's officers.

In addition to its Nanking branch which opened on May 26, the bank will open a branch in Soochow on July 11, the management announced yesterday.—Domei.

Ta Tao Flag Hoisted Over Police Station

A five-barred Chinese flag yesterday was broken atop the Great Western Road sub-station of the Shanghai Special Municipality Police, which was closed by order of the British Military authorities on January 5. After negotiations the sub-station was later re-opened on the condition that the police did not enter the place from the Municipal Road.

This agreement is still in effect and entrance to the sub-station by the Ta Tao authorities must be made by a side door in a lane off Great Western Road. Mr. Wang Teh-lin, who on June 17 headed the Chinese police detail which re-occupied the premises, will remain in charge, it is stated.

Japanese Capture City In Hainan Island

Guerilla Centre Said to Have Been Destroyed

Hoihow, Hainan Is. July 1.

A Japanese naval landing party, assisted by naval aircraft, completely captured Paoting in the central part of Hainan Island at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, Japanese authorities here claimed today.

Starting a drive from Tengkiu in the south-eastern part of the island early on Monday morning, the landing party advanced swiftly on Paoting, which is south of Lingmen and the largest guerilla base on the island.

It has been used by Chinese stragglers and guerillas who retreated into the mountainous region in central Hainan after the extensive Japanese mopping-up operations were started at the beginning of May.—Domei.

Many Battles Fought During June

Chinese Claim Japanese Engaged 287 Times

Chungking, July 1.

A Chinese military communiqué issued here today states that during the month of June there were 287 engagements between Chinese and Japanese forces on all fronts.

In these engagements, it adds, the Chinese inflicted 20,567 casualties on the Japanese, including one Brigade Commander. The Chinese are reported to have captured:

Prisoners	1,024
Rifles	24
Machine-guns	29
Field-guns	4

In addition, the communiqué continues, the Chinese destroyed 44 Japanese armoured cars, sank 11 of their warships and shot down one of their aeroplanes. This, it adds, does not include those planes shot down by Chinese Air Force anti-aircraft guns.

The Chinese are further reported to have destroyed, during this period, 14 kilometres of railway and 30 miles of highway.

There were 80 engagements in Chekiang and Anhwei provinces, the communiqué concludes.—Reuter.

Local Canadians Express Loyalty

Dominion Day Celebrated By Local Community; The Royal Visit to Canada

Demonstrating that the solid ties which bind together the scattered peoples of the British Empire and the Dominion of Canada to the Mother Country in particular, have been welded into an unbreakable chain of loyalty following the recent visit of the British King and Queen to Canada, were the celebrations organized by the local Canadian community yesterday to mark Dominion Day-Canada's national day.

Although the Canadian community is small, its celebrations were not one whit less than those carried out in the Dominion itself, a large and distinguished gathering embracing people of Canadian, British, American and French nationalities attending a reception which was held in the Dome of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank at 7.30 p.m.

Guest of honour was Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, the British Ambassador, others present including Sir Herbert Phillips, H. M. Consul-General; Sir Allan Mossop, Chief Judge, H. M. Supreme Court, and Lady Mossop; Judge M. J. Helmick, U. S. Court for China, and Mrs. Helmick, Col. L. Grenier, commanding the French Forces in Shanghai; Mr. Godfrey Phillips Secretary, S.M.C. Mr. W. J. Keswick; Dean A. C. S. Trivett, Rear-Admiral R. V. Holt, Col. J. W. Hornby and Mr. A. H. George.

King of Canada

As the guests arrived they were received by Mr. R. D. Ralfe, President of the Canadian Club, and Mrs. Ralfe, and by Mr. M. T. Stewart, Assistant Canadian Trade Commissioner. In welcoming them on behalf of the Canadian Club of Shanghai Mr. Ralle stated that July 1 in Canada was called Dominion Day, the anniversary of the union of the various provinces to form the Dominion of Canada.

Referring to the visit of Their Majesties to Canada, he said that this had been a historic event for the Dominion as it was the first time there had been a visit by the reigning sovereigns. "It brought home to all there," he continued, "that His Majesty is not only King of England and King and Emperor of the British Empire but also Canada's king."

He asked all present to bear that in mind as they drank a toast to "The King." This was drunk with acclamation and was followed by a buffet dinner and a dance.

Man Kills Wife Over Money Quarrel

Refusal to Lend $6 Leads To Stabbing Tragedy

Because his wife refused to lend him a sum of $6, with which he hoped to start in business as a hawker, a Chinese named Loh Tsu-tse stabbed his wife to death on Rue du Marche yesterday.

The dead woman was named Loh Dah-kou, aged 25 years, and it has been ascertained that she had received her monthly salary yesterday from the factory where she worked. Upon coming home to 136 Rue du Pere Froc she and her husband, who was aged 29, decided to visit relatives at Lane 36, 125 Rue du Marche.

They arrived there shortly after 6 p.m. and an argument arose between the man and his wife over money, the husband wishing to borrow a sum of $6 so that he could start a business as a hawker. The wife was adamant, however, and the money was not forthcoming.

On the way home the man, evidently incensed by his wife's refusal, stabbed her twice, one of the wounds going deeply in her breast. As a result she fell to the ground and was dead when taken to hospital. The man, after committing the deed, ran away and the French Police are searching for him.

Admiral Noble Arrives In Hongkong

Hongkong, July 1.

Admiral Sir Percy Noble, Commander-in-Chief of the British China Station, arrived here this morning aboard his flagship Kent, accompanied by Major-Generl A. E. Graset, who is in command of the British troops in China. Both had attended the Far Eastern defence conference recently held in Singapore to decide on measures in the event of Britain and France being obliged to take joint action in case of hostilities in the Southern Pacific.—Trans-Ocean.

Hongkew Swimming Pool Reopened

Leased from the Shanghai Municipal Council the Hongkew Park Swimming Bath was reopened yesterday. It will be available to the public from 5 o'clock in the morning to 9 o'clock at night during the months of July, August and September. A 50-cent fee will be charged, Japanese newspapers said yesterday.

Mr. Kikuo Atobe, Japanese swimming instructor, will be in attendance with a staff of assistants to prevent accidents, the papers added.

Deccan Rulers Favour Federation

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Poona, June 30.

A meeting of the rulers of twelve out of seventeen Deccan States today considered the revised draft instrument on the proposed accession to federation. It is understood that the majority favoured accession. It is expected that the Princes will communicate a final decision individually before the end of July.—Reuter.

German Diplomat in Chungking

Chungking, July 1.

The new German Government representative here, Legation Counsellor Dr. Hans Bidder, arrived by air from Kunming in order to relieve Dr. Siebert, who is taking up the position of Consul-General at Canton, succeeding Dr. Altenburg, the new German Charge d'Affaires.—Trans-Ocean.

Mr. Kao Shing-po Still In S.M.P. Custody

Mr. Kao Shing-po, manager of the Lido Ballroom in Medhurst Road, who, as reported in the "North-China Daily News," was taken into custody by the S.M.P. at the request of the Japanese authorities, was still being detained, it was learnt last night. No statement was issued by the police except that the man was still in their custody.

Talks with Russia Make Progress

Paris Hopes Defence Pact Will Be Signed By Powers Next Week

Paris, July 1.

The opinion is expressed in well-informed quarters here that the difficulties in the proposed triple anti-aggression pact between Britain, France and the Soviet will be overcome and that the pact might be signed next week.

Reports received here last night suggest that the Soviet Foreign Commissar, M. Molotov, will have another meeting on Monday, with the British and French negotiators.—Reuter.

New Anglo-French Plan

Moscow, July 1.

New Anglo-French proposals for the conclusion of a tripartite agreement between Britain, France, and Soviet Russia, were handed to the Foreign Commissar, M. Vicheslav Molotoff, in the Kremlin today.

The British and French Ambassadors, Sir William Seeds and M. Paul-Emile Naggiar, together with Mr. William Strang, Foreign Office envoy, arrived at the Kremlin at noon today to meet M. Molotoff, leaving two hours later.—Havas.

London Consultations

London, June 30.

With a view to hastening the negotiations with Moscow, the French Ambassador here, M. Charles Corbin, today called on Sir Alexander Cadogan, Permanent Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs. Well-informed quarters revealed that new instructions had already been sent to Sir William Seeds, British envoy in Moscow, for the pursuance of parleys.—Havas.

Italy Shows Uneasiness

Rome, June 30.

Italy would immediately react to the signature of a Turko-Egyptian pact and would reinforce her garrisons in Libya, the "Telegrafo," newspaper voicing the views of Count Galeazzo Ciano, Foreign Minister, stated today.

Betraying the uneasiness prevalent in Fascist circles since Turkey's adherence to the Franco-British policy of guarantees, the organ mentions the possibility that "In the event of war, Turkish troops would participate in the defence of the Suez Canal."

It added, "Italy would see a most serious threat in the presence of Turkish troops in Egypt. That is why the realization of a Turko-Egyptian military pact under the auspices of France and Britain would probably lead the Italian Government sooner or later to forward an interesting communication to the British Ambassador.....

"This communication would deal with the exchange of information of a military character, provided for by the Italo-British Agreement of April 16, 1938."—Havas.

America Will Protest Foochow Bombing

Destruction of School to Be Subject of Note

Washington, June 30.

The State Department was informed about the Japanese aerial bombardment of the American Union High School in Foochow yesterday, and American authorities on the spot would make representations, the State Secretary, Mr. Cordell Hull, told the press today.

Questioned about settlement for damages caused American properties and buildings in China, Mr. Hull stated that "this problem is a subject of study by the Japanese Government."

He also stated, in answer to a question, that he had not been advised of Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy's reported intention to return from his London post to Washington.

Mr. Kennedy was stated to be taking the Yankee Clipper at Southampton this afternoon for a swift trip here to confer with President Roosevelt on the present European situation.—Havas.

New Boeing Clipper Returns

Manila, July 1.

Pan American Airways' new giant clipper, the Boeing MC-06, was replaced by the California Clipper when it returned to San Francisco for mechanical adjustments after a false start, company officials announced here today.

The California Clipper, which is now in Honolulu, will arrive in Manila on July 5, leave for Hongkong July 6 and return to Manila on July 7. It will depart for the United States on July 9 and arrive in San Francisco July 14.

The Philippine Clipper will arrive in Manila July 11. The Honolulu Clipper will arrive July 18.—United Press.

Sino-German Barter Pact Confirmed

Hongkong, July 1.

Reports that local German interests had completed a barter agreement with the Chinese National Government were confirmed in reliable quarters here today.

Under the argeement, three German Condor planes and a quantity of arms and ammunition worth about £5,000,000 will be exchanged for a quantity of wolfram and other Chinese ores used in the manufacture of steel.

An American agency has also arranged to supply the Chinese National Government with H.K.$4,000,000 worth of Belgian Madison cannon and American Curtiss Wright planes, it was reported.—United Press.

Trade Mark Law in Chungking Upheld

No Japanese-sponsored Substitutes Recognized By Chinese Government

Chungking, July 1.

No unilateral illegal act by any one foreign Power could in any way affect the status of the Chinese Government Trade Mark Bureau or its functions, declared Mr. Oong Wen-hao, Minister of Economic Affairs, when questioned by Reuter today concerning the recent establishment of a trade mark office by the "Provisional Government" in Peiping.

"The Trade Mark Bureau of the Ministry of Economic Affairs," Mr. Oong said, "has functioned since the establishment of the National Government in Nanking, having been created in pursuance of a provision in treaties between China and foreign Powers under which the Chinese Government undertakes to grant and protect exclusive rights to trade marks obtained under the Trade Mark Law of the National Government.

"The Trade Mark Law has been observed to the letter by foreigners and Chinese alike, and foreigners as well as Chinese are not only subject to the routine of trade mark registrations but also to its various administrative and quasi-judicial proceedings and decisions based on the Trade Mark Law.

"Despite curtailed postal and transportation facilities brought about by the current hostilities, and the removal of the Bureau's offices to the interior, applications for new registrations, renewals and transfers have steadily increased since the Bureau opened its offices in Chungking a year and a half ago.

"In fact, the number of applications received by the Bureau during the past few months has reached a figure almost equal to that before the commencement of the current hostilities.

"It goes to show that, as the Bureau marks an effort on the part of the Chinese Government to carry out faithfully its Treaty obligations towards foreign governments, no unilateral illegal act by any one foreign power could in any way affect the status of the Bureau or its function."—Reuter.

Foreigners Need Not Worry

"If the rumoured trade mark office in Peiping should have been set up at the instance of the Japanese," continued Mr. Oong, "it would have no effect on trade mark rights of foreigners in China, as no puppet organization of the Japanese could lawfully interfere with the propery rights of foreigners in China, including trade mark rights obtained under the Trade Mark Law of the National Government.

"Foreigners are under no legal obligation to register their trade marks with such a puppet organization, and no protection could be expected under any such illegal regime.

"On the other hand, if the Japanese themselves should claim to have direct control over such an organization, it would be equally illegal, because in the present undeclared war no right of belligerency on the part of Japanese is recognized, and there can be no military occupation, in legal effect, without the right of belligerency.

"Moreover, even in the event of belligerency being recognized, no unilateral alteration of the trade mark law in areas of hostilities could affect the rights of third parties.

"Therefore, foreigners having trade marks in areas affected by the current hostilities need not concern themselves unduly with such attempts on the part of puppet organizations, or the Japanese themselves. Compliance with the trade mark law of the National Government would give them the necessary legal and treaty protection."—Reuter.

Japanese View Given of Singapore Talks

Naval Chiefs "Decided" to Avoid War with Japan

Tokyo, July 1.

As a result of the recent conference in Singapore between the Commanders-in-Chief of the Far Eastern fleets of Great Britain and France, Admiral Sir Percy Noble and Admiral Jean Decoux, the British and French naval authorities are said to have reached the conclusion that a war with Japan must be avoided at all costs, "since it would compel the two nations to give up totally their interests in the Far East," according to a special Japanese report to the "Japan Times" from Paris.

"On the strength of reliable information in Paris," the message says, "the naval authorities of the two countries, foreseeing difficulty in maintaining Hongkong in case of war against Japan, are said to have agreed to use Singapore as a joint base of operations."

The message alleges that the British Admiralty unsuccessfully tried to pursuade the United States Government to participate in the Singapore Conference. As a result, it adds, "the two European countries were compelled to discuss joint operations against Japan between themselves."—Reuter.

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M. Henri Cosme, French Ambassador to China, who has been on a visit to Chungking, is expected to arrive in Shanghai today at about 1 p.m. in the ss. President Cleveland.

Upon arrival he will be met by officials of the French Embassy in China and members of the Consular Service.

"Who Kill Each Other?"

British Labour Plea Issued to People of Germany for Peace

London, July 1.

An appeal to the German people, and a plea urging workers in all lands, that they must insist that disputes be settled by reason and not by war, has been drawn up by the British National Council of Labour, representing the Trades Union Congress and the Labour Party. It is headed "Why kill each other?"

The appeal asks: "Where lies the responsibility for the present situation?" and adds: "Some among you may say that peace in Europe is being threatened because Germany is being encircled by enemies who wish to destroy your country and to make the economic life of the German people impossible.

"That is a wicked misrepresentation, and your Propaganda Minister knows it. It is true that many European Powers have drawn close together in self-defence. British Labour urged this policy on the Government not to injure Germany, but to preserve the peace of the world by making successful aggression impossible.

"The events culminating in the brutal seizure of Czechoslovakia have convinced us that your government is aiming at nothing less than the domination and enslavement of all Europe. The now familiar process of warlike preparation, lying propaganda and stimulated disturbance is being created against Poland.

"You must face the fact that if this is continued, the result will be war. For all of us, butter is better than guns, but what we cannot submit to is that we should be blackmailed and threatened by egotistic dictators.

"We cannot go on making concessions to dictators under threat of force. Only by peaceful collaboration can we build a happy, secure and prosperous world. Far from wishing to encircle your country with a view to crushing it, we invite you to come into the circle yourselves."—Reuter.

The Minister of Lands, Forestry, Tourism and Publicity of New Zealand, Mr. F. Langstone, who is at present in Berlin, was the guest of honour on Friday at a luncheon at the Eden Hotel given by Secretary of State in the Foreign Office, Baron von Weizsecker. The British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson, was also present.

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London Police Taking Special Precautions

Irish Terrorists Expected To Intensify Activities

London, June 30.

Scotland Yard is keeping watch on known I.R.A. suspects tonight. Special guards are posted at Government buildings and power stations as a precaution against possible reprisals for the 20-year sentences imposed on several I.R.A. men today.—Reuter.

Another Small Blaze

London, July 1.

The City was the scene of another blaze yesterday afternoon, the seventh since Friday last week.

Fire broke out in an empty shop in Fleet Street and was under control ten minutes after the fire-brigade had arrived. The shop had not been used for several weeks. Police immediately started an investigation.

No fewer than 16,000 policemen have been mobilized today to protect the City against acts of terrorism by Irish extremists who are expected to be very active over the week-end owing to the heavy sentences passed on I.R.A. members yesterday. All important public buildings have been placed under special police supervision.

According to reports reaching here from the United States, the leader of the I.R.A. declared that terroristic acts would continue until English troops have been withdrawn from Ireland and the 55 I.R.A. members now in English prisons released.—Trans-Ocean.

The Health Minister of New South Wales, Mr. Herbert Paton Fitz-Simons, arrived in Berlin on Friday for several days' visit in order to study German hygienic institutions.

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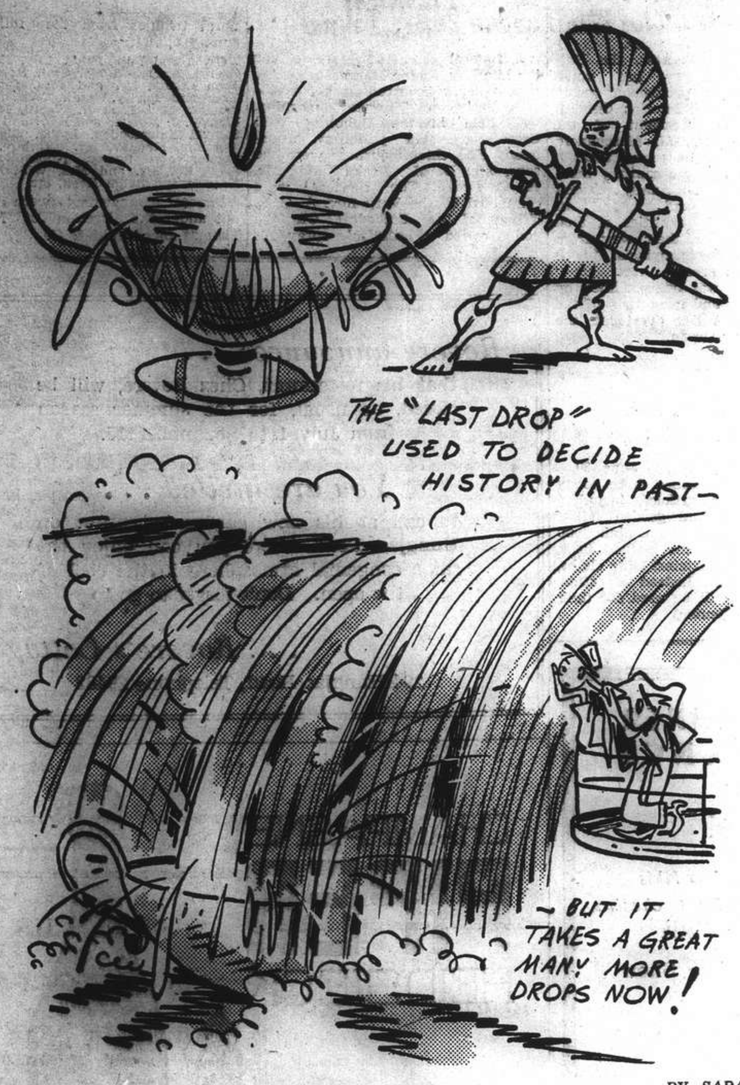

BY SAPAJOU

Making History

IN PARENTHESIS

Spoke Well

"Ir's nice to see you again, old man; I thought you were dead."

"Oh Why?"

"Well, I've heard several people speak well of you lately."

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Certainty

"But why are you so sure your horse will win, auntie?"

"Well, my dear, it will start at 20 to 1, I'm told, and the race isn't until two o'clock."

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From Aberdeen

"That cheque yet gave me, Angus, came bouncing back."

"Ye dumbfoond me, Andra."

"Ah'll tak' the cash the noo—ten poonds, Angus."

"Nine pounds nineteen shillings an' tenpence."

"Ye're daft—ten poonds."

"Na, na, Andra. Dae ye no mind the cheque Ah wasted on ye?"

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Day Ruined

Bridget: "Pat, my man, I'm going to die, and I want you to promise me one thing."

Pat: "Sure, Bridget, and I'll do that. What is it?"

Bridget: "I want you to have my mother in your carriage at the funeral."

Pat: "Well, Bridget, I promise, since it is your last wish; but I tell you it will spoil the day for me."

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Glaring Cases

Reference has been made to "certain glaring cases," but all civil actions are, essentially, glaring cases. And I have often thought how much simpler it would be to try libel and slander actions on that basis writes a British columnist.

The plaintiff and the defendant would simply glare at each other. Snarling and "words" would be barred. The Court would have to decide only which glare was the more venomous.

Or, perhaps, it would be fairer to instruct the litigants to think of each other while glaring at a glass of milk. Whoever curdled the milk first would win.

I have no object but the simplification of our legal procedure.

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Fashion Note

A Picture from Paris shows a girl wearing a hat consisting of a large, turban-like nest, which contains three eggs and is surmounted by a bird.

In the meantime Lady Clanbridget is continuing to wear a stuffed goat, whose legs are gathered in a posy of Parson's Frolic attached to the head by a thick veil of broderie Anglaise on a copper-wire foundation.

"It is a question of keeping straight not so much my face as the goat," she said to a reporter yesterday.

"One nudge in the ribs," she added, laughing heartily, "and we all fall down."

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Troubles Were Little Ones

Fidele di Parsio, of Atlantic City, United States, was a widower with 17 children. He married Carmela Calabresé, a widow, with 11 children. And seven months later . . .

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—en little Angelos.

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With 30 mouths to feed:
How melancholy then,
That rivalry should breed!

He favoured—so she said—
His children more than those
Whom she contributed
Unto their common woes.

One night—a welcome pill—
He found her crowd had gone:
His have their father still,
Hers seeks one farther on.

—By F. G. H. Salusbury in the "Daily Herald."

America Receives Royalty

Personal Triumph to King and Queen; No Longer Will Any Prejudice Exist

From Our Own Correspondent

Washington, June 11.

THE tour of the King and Queen in Canada (with a brief side-trip to the United States) has had a remarkable effect upon American opinion. Even if the tour had been confined entirely to Canada, the effect in the United States would have been little different. It was not the crowded receptions in Washington and New York which captivated the opinion of the American public. It had already been completely enthralled by the news of the Canadian trip.

The triumph was a personal one for the King and Queen. Some credit must go to the intelligent way in which the tour was handled by the Canadian officials, but that would have been of no avail had not the King and Queen shown such a sure instinct in doing the right thing and saying the right word. It was that which gave life and character to the Royal progress, followed as avidly in the United States and in England, and turned a diffident American public into an enthusiastic and deeply appreciative one.

Now that the success of the Royal tour has become a matter of history some of the qualms and anxieties felt about it in relation to American opinion may seem exaggerated, but they were none the less real at the time. Probably few people in England realized the obstacles which were in the way of success; had they done so they would probably never have risked the four days in the United States. The first barrier which the King and Queen had to overcome was the prejudice against the existence of courts and monarchs which is a relic of the old-fashioned history teaching of the last century.

America was a great country because it had no king, and its public officials conducted themselves with democratic simplicity, without pomp or outworn ceremonial. The ideas which many Americans held about kings and queens in general seemed to have been taken from Alice in Wonderland, though several Americans who should know insist that it would only be necessary to read an average school history textbook. Coupled with this background was the attitude adopted by many who wished to be thought smart, and who fancied that a supercilious tone in talking about the British Royal family and the British Court gave them an air of sophistication.

False Impression Vanishes

This false impression vanished at the first touch of reality, like a veil of silk touched by a flame. Aloofness, stiffness, snobbishness were the last adjectives which could be applied to the two British sovereigns. The very exaggerations of some of the would-be smart and cynical writers stood Their Majesties in good stead as it turned out, and helped rather than harmed them in the eyes of the American public, which believes in fair play as strongly as the English public.

This same supercilious state of mind had led to a competely false personal picture of the King and Queen being created. The Queen was represented as dowdy and completely lacking in personality, liveliness or character; the King as a shadowy figure, with no aptitude for his task, awkward in speech and manner. For the first few days of the trip it was amusing to read between the lines of the American reports of the Canadian tour and sense the amazed surprise of the correspondents. The Queen's chic, the Queen's style, the Queen's smile, the Queen's complexion "which would knock them cold in Hollywood" were all the more admired and praised because they were so unexpected and unanticipated.

"Healthy, Athletic and Alert"

The same thing was true of the King. His healthy, athletic and alert appearance was a complete contrast to the mental picture which so many of them had formed. His "stammer" about which so much had been written proved to be little more than a slight hesitation in his speech, which would not have been noticed had it not been looked for. He was far from the semi-invalid of the tabloid press. No wonder that an American reporter to whom the King spoke at a press reception shortly after the tour began, blurted out, "You certainly can take it, your Majesty."

Both the King and Queen proved that they could "take it" throughout a gruelling round of public functions, into which they entered wholeheartedly, with an air of sympathy and understanding which captivated all by its genuineness. But it was not in the public functions, but outside them, that the King and Queen showed the human touch,—or as it would usually be called in the United States, the political sense,—which can wring emotion from the stoniest heart.

Their very first appearance to the waiting public was at the ship's rail waving to the crowds like ordinary passengers. This was followed by a host of similar human touches. The fact that instead of resting for an hour they should have received the press who were to accompany them across Canada was warmly appreciated.

Most Friendly Actions

Their action in strolling among a frantic crowd of ex-service men at Ottawa without guards of any kind, their rushing to the balcony of the Chateau Laurier at Ottawa when they heard the crowds were waiting outside before the dinner was over, their drive through the rain in Winnipeg in order not to disappoint the crowds, their walking alone in the country like any other young married couple still very much in love, the King's shaking hands although he had caught his fingers in a door-jam and had to keep them taped, the Queens tact when any of those presented to her became flurried or made some slight error—it was the sum of these human sidelights and a dozen or more like them all reported with microscopic faithfulness which won over the American public.

"Perfectly Grand"

Mrs. Roosevelt, herself, when asked by a group of newspaper women what she felt about the King's and Queen's trip in Canada answered that she felt they had been "perfectly grand." She added that all the people from whom she had heard in Canada had been enthusiastic. "They have made everybody feel that they have been having a good time and that they have really enjoyed meeting people."

This praise from Mrs. Roosevelt was no mere routine gesture of a hostess wishing to be polite to her guest. To quote a widely-read columnist Mr. Harian Miller, "The First Lady has leaned over backwards to keep the whole thing casual. She could not have been much more offhand if the guests were merely a couple of Roosevelt cousins. (The Roosevelt cousins, it must be remembered to grasp the force of this remark, belong to the Republican camp). This casualness has at moments given her attitude an illusion of flippancy."

Mr. Miller was referring to the jokes which Mrs. Roosevelt passed on to some of her more talkative cronies about the stiffness and formality of Court life. Some of her statements created amazement until it was discovered that she had been sent (some said by Ambassador Bullitt) the detailed instructions compiled by the French protocol officials for the preparation of the Royal suit at the Palais d'Orsay.

Prescriptive Right

Retailed at second hand these remarks placed Mrs. Roosevelt in the unfavourable light of a hostess who was trying to make her guests appear ridiculous. They were seized upon with avidity by many of Washington's social elect, who felt slighted at not being asked to any of the functions arranged for the King and Queen, and written up in the press by a group of women reporters who felt that they had a prescriptive right to enter any door. American newspaper writers, as a rule, pride themselves upon taking an objective view of the news, but on this occasion a little group of women reporters gloried in the fact, boasted of it, that personal pique and private prejudice were colouring their writings.

If the Ambassador and his wife had treated them better there would have been less offensive material in their columns, they said in plain words. This revelation of the part played by social bribery and blackmail in the newspaper world obviously did it little credit and called forth some pungent comments from the male news reporters. "It is surprising how many cats want to look closely at a Queen" wrote the head of the New York "Times" Bureau, who doubted whether the American public cared very much which Embassies coddled Washington's pampered press and which did not.

Female Canutes Defeated

But this storm in a teapot soon died down. No one was very interested in who had felt slighted; they were more interested in the columns of news of the Royal trip from Canada, all of it highly favourable. The female Canutes could not check the rising tide of enthusiasm and they did not try any longer.

The Irish members of Congress did their bit to create a bad impression, but as one commentator remarked people are more interested in the United States in an American citizens' descendents than in his ancestors. In addition to the Irish there is a type of American politician always to be found who feels that he should take an exaggerated pride in his humility. He feels that if he plays the part of the home-spun American he is likely to reap the reward in votes back home. He will appear at the White House reception for Congressmen in a lounge suit and make certain that the press knows all about it. He is not going to spend his money on social fripperies. You will probably find him at some time or other attired in perfectly good evening dress when no publicity is to be expected.

Politician's Overcame

The visit of the English King and Queen provided him with a perfect occasion for giving another interpretation of his favourite role. All this bowing and scraping was disgraceful and un-American. He was not going to kowtow to Royalty and shake the hand of the King and Queen, and if he was invited to the Embassy party he would not attend.

He would devote the time others would waste to a study of burning economic problems in the interests of the common people.

The surprising thing about the Royal visit was not that one or two politicians should have adopted this attitude, but that so few of them should have seized the opportunity, and that so many should have made no attempt to disguise the interest and pleasure with which they looked forward to the event.

Business as Usual In Kwangsi

Railway to Central China Being Constructed

From Our Own Correspondent

Kweilin, June 10.

In spite of the war and all its drawbacks the province of Kwangsi is going forward along all lines. Merchants who operate stores in the cities that have been bombed are cheerfully carrying on with the good British slogan, "business as usual." Many of them have moved their reserve stocks of merchandise into country villages or have stored it in the rocky caves for which Kwangsi is famous. Cities may be destroyed from the air, but business will go on as usual and the thrifty merchant will find that though he is handicapped in many ways still the higher prices which he gets for his goods largely compensate for the many interruptions which has fallen to his lot.

The war has also speeded up communication. Important highways have been started and rushed to completion in an almost incredibly short space for time, and buses have taken the place of mountain chair or country ponies for those who have to travel.

The most remarkable accomplishment is the building of a railway which connects this province with Central China and the great trade routes converging on the Yangtze river. This railway has been used extensively by refugees who have left the Yangtze valley and have fled southward. This road is now being rapidly pushed forward to bring the city of Linchow into the sphere of its activity. Forty miles of road west of Kweilin are already in operation and the rest of the line to Liuchow is only held up by the bridges which need to be built before the iron horse can run through. It is thought, however, that by September or October that section will be completed and that traffic will be speeded up between Liuchow the central Metropolis and the northern capital of Kweilin.

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This Anti-British N. China Business

Japanese Attempts to Further Measures Against Anglo-Chinese Interests

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Peiping, June 28.

In addition to the blockade of the British Concession at Tientsin and the indignities inflicted on British nationals there, the Japanese, through the Chinese press which they rigidly control, through posters, through processions and meetings, and all the other well-worn methods, are now busy trying to stir up anti-British feeling all through north China.

It cannot be said that, up to now, their efforts in this direction have been particularly successful. To those of us who remember the violent and widespread anti-British demonstrations, got up by the Bolsheviks and the Chinese Nationalists in 1925 and 1927, the contrast of the present indifferent attitude of the Chinese population towards the movement is very striking. The spoon-fed and sheep-like inhabitants of Peiping are one of the easiest people in the world to stir up to any anti-foreign demonstrations. Yet, in the present instance, they show scarcely any interest at all.

The British need not flatter themselves that the unwillingness of the ordinary Chinese to take part in the present demonstrations is due to any special love for them. The fact is, surprising as it may be to the Japanese, that the easy-going people of Peiping dislike them a good deal more than they do any other foreigners. The experiences of two years of Japanese rule has done nothing whatever to endear the conquerors to their Chinese subjects.

Arrogant "Third-raters

The terrific rise in the cost of living owing to Japanese juggling with currency, the high-handed ways of the Japanese gendarmerie and also of the Japanese-controlled Chinese police, the arrogance and truculence of the very third-rate class of Japanese who have been pouring into Peiping, and the airs of conquerors that the Japanese give themselves on every possible occasion, when it is at all possible to rub in that they are the masters, all this has not helped to make them the least bit popular with the people of North China.

As a result, anything got up by the Japanese is viewed nowadays with suspicion and distrust by the Chinese. The Japanese, moreover, have during the last two years staged so many of these futile, so-called spontaneous, demonstrations, that the Chinese who have a keen sense of the ridiculous are loath to expose themselves to further ridicule by taking part.

The much advertised meeting of the "Whole of China Anti-British Society," which was held in the Forbidden City at the Gate of Supreme Harmony on June 23 was an excellent proof of this. The meeting was a ridiculous fiasco. To begin with, it could hardly be called "spontaneous" by any stretch of the imagination, seeing that only Chinese wearing special pink badges were allowed in, and foreigners only on presentation and careful inspection of their cards.

When I went to look at it, there were the usual groups of little schoolboys and schoolgirls and deputations with perhaps 100 banners at the outside. The whole rest of the audience did not exceed 500; people were coming and going all the time, and nobody appeared to be paying the slightest attention to the speeches. The speakers, standing high up on the terrace in front of the gate, well out of reach of bombs and similar missiles, were droning away in toneless voices into the microphones, while the greater part of the audience strolled listlessly about the vast courtyard, the school-children playing catch, in and out among them.

Half-hearted Tones

The half-hearted tones of the speakers certainly contrasted very strikingly with the frenzied and foaming eloquence of the speakers at the anti-British meetings in 1925 and 1927. After the meeting was over, a string of lorries carrying the official participants went through the main streets of the city, waving flags, distributing handbills and shouting slogans, the occupants wearing an amusingly sheepish look on their faces. The whole impression one got of this so greatly written-up demonstration was one of half-heartedness and unwillingness.

That the Chinese "sponsors" of this anti-British movement, members of the Chamber of Commerce, of the Peiping Municipality and of Peiping educational institutions, should not feel entirely comfortable is scarcely strange. Indeed, I have been told that some of them have been sending private messages to foreign and Chinese friends to say that it is all very much against their will, as they have been forced by the Japanese under threats to take part in the movement.

Whether such statements are true or not, the fact remains that this enforced emergence into the light of political activity, as pro-Japanese propagandists, makes them marked men, with its consequent ever-impending personal danger in these anarchic times.

Meanwhile, in all the vernacular papers of North China, which are rigidly controlled by the Japanese and have therefore not the slightest initiative of their own, a most violent and steady stream of anti-British propaganda is being poured forth day in day and out. Whether, in the end, this will have more success than the meetings and processions still remains to be seen.

So far, the whole movement has had the very opposite effect to that which the Japanese can have intended. The Chinese are now laughing up their sleeves at them and saying that, as they have failed to defeat Gen. Chiang Kai-shek, they are trying to gain victories against Great Britain instead. And the talk, which was formerly only heard among the more educated Chinese, that the Japanese are really in a bad way, is now spreading among all sections of the population.

U.S. Women Want Arms Embargo

New York, June 30.

Miss Mary Woolley, President Emeritus of Mt. Holyoke Colleged and a group of outstanding American women, petitioned Congress today to place an embargo on the sale of war supplies to Japan. Miss Woolley drafted the petition which was signed by outstanding women educators.—United Press.

Londoners Seek Relief from Heat

A typical summer afternoon on the Lido at Hyde Park is shown here. The Lido has now become one of the most popular features of London life.

U.S. Should Hold Philippines

Mr. McNutt Believes Retention of Isles Would Uphold Peace

Indianapolis, July 1.

Mr. Paul V. McNutt, U. S. High Commissioner for the Philippines and possible Democratic Presidential candidate in 1940, last night advocated the retention of American sovereignty over the Philippines "to preserve peace in the Orient."

Addressing a huge crowd which staged a demonstration welcoming him back to his home town, Mr. McNutt carefully avoided commenting upon domestic issues or his personal flag.

Mr. McNutt predicted there would be trouble in the Far East for at least a generation if the United States withdraws from the Philippines.

He said the maintenance of American sovereignty over the Islands was necessary both as a matter of United States foreign policy and for the economic preservation of the islands. The United States, he said, has not yet fully prepared the islands for economic independence.

"Economically we have brought the islands to almost complete economic dependence upon our markets," he said.

Filipino Sentiment Changing

Mr. McNutt said many Filipino political leaders who had campaigned for independence have changed their minds because of events of the past two years in the Orient.

The Philippines, he said, are surrounded by nations with an overflowing population which is anxious to expand and invade the Philippines.

"An independent Philippine Government thus would face the threat of racial extinction. And this is a question of their ability to defend themselves against foreign military aggression. Withdrawal from the Philippines would mean the loss of our voice in Oriental policy and the blocking of United States trade with China."—United Press.

Senator King's Views

Washington, July 1.

Senator William King, Democrat of Utah and member of the Senate Insular Affairs Committee, said last night that Japan certainly would attack an independent Philippines if her campaign for domination in Asia succeeds. He added, however, that "Japan's campaign may never succeed."

Commenting on the recommendation of Mr. Paul V. McNutt, U.S. High Commissioner for the Philippines, who advocates retention of American sovereignty over the islands, he said the question would not likely come up for settlement for several years.

Senator King said Mr. McNutt has a clear perception of Philippine-American and general Oriental problems and is right in believing that United States sovereignty over the islands is most likely to preserve peace in the Orient.

He pointed out, however that the United States is definitely committed to grant independence to the islands in 1946 and he believed this should be done unless the Filipinos no longer desire independence.

He said the majority of Committee of Insular Affairs members and American public opinion at present favour independence for the islands according to schedule, but added that it was very possible that public opinion both here and in the Philippines might change because of developments in the Orient before 1946.—United Press.

U.S. National Debt Now Over $40,000,000,000

Washington, July 1.

The fiscal year ended last night with the Treasury reporting its ninth consecutive depression deficit which sent the national debt above $40,000,000,000 with no immediate prospect that the Government will be able to live within its income.

During the past fiscal year the Administration spent $9,128,000,000, breaking all peacetime records. The nine-year depression deficits aggregate about $23,500,000,000 of which the Roosevelt Administration was responsible for $18,000,000,000.—United Press.

German Airwoman Ends Long Solo Flight

New Invention Helps to Free Bogged Plane

Berlin, July 1.

After a solo flight of altogether 34,000 kilometres, the German airwoman, Frau Elli Rosemeyer-Beinhorn, returned from India to Berlin which she had left nine weeks ago in her Messerschmidt travelling plane Taifun.

The plane, equipped with a 270 h.p. engine, reached an average travel speed of 270 kilometres per hour.

During the flight, Frau Rosemeyer-Beinhorn visited Budapest, Sofia, Aleppo, Baghdad, Basrah, Allahabad, Jodhpur, Calcutta, Bombay, Karachi, Teheran, Rangoon and Bangkok. She had a thrilling experience when the plane collided high in the air with a vulture. The huge bird was killed while the plane suffered some slight damages.

Another dangerous incident occurred when, forced by blinding monsoon rain, she had to make an emergency landing on a small rice-field amidst jungles. Although the field was only 150 metres long, she had to take off again the same day since the plene showed signs of sinking in the swamped field. The manœuvre succeeded thanks to the new adjustable propeller constructed by Professor Messerschmidt.—Trans-Ocean.

New Regime Set Up In Amoy

Foundation of Municipal Government Celebrated

Amoy, July 1.

A Special Municipal Government was established here with public ceremonies witnessed by 15,000 persons in Amoy Park at 9 o'clock this morning.

Among the officials present were Mr. Li En-hsien, first Mayor of the Municipality; Rear-Admiral Haruzo Mito, Director of the Amoy Liaison Office of the Asia Development Board; and Mr. Goro Uchida, Japanese Consul-General.

A statement on the inauguration of the Government was read by Mr. Li. Other dignitaries made addresses.

A lantern procession to celebrate the occasion was to be held this evening.—Domei.

British Stop Ships At Swatow Bar

Seistan, Kwangtung Held Up Pending Negotiations With Japanese Authorities

No blockade was in evidence at Swatow while the ss. Kwangtung and the ss. Seistan, both British steamers, were anchored at Swatow Bar, eight miles from the city, on June 28, according to reports reaching Shanghai yesterday.

Passengers on the steamers saw no Japanese warships, save one destroyer, but were held up at the bar by H.M.S. Scout, British destroyer. The captain of the Scout said that he had instructions to hold up the British vessels pending negotiations between British and Japanese authorities.

The wife of the Swedish Commissioner at Swatow and her son, and a lady named Miss Murphy, the fiancée of a lieutenant on the U. S. S. Pillsbury, American destroyer, were disembarked from the Kwangtung, while one American passenger left the Seistan at Swatow. These passengers proceeded ashore in the Scout.

Armed guards, consisting of four bluejackets each, were placed on the two merchantmen. The vessels were advised by the British naval authorities to proceed from Swatow as the delay in negotiations might mean a layover at the bar for 24 hours. The two steamers accordingly got under way from Swatow at 2 p.m. on June 28, after being anchored at the bar for almost eight hours.

Taken Without Struggle

Japanese naval forces took the town of Swatow without a struggle, according to reports from eyewitnesses. The Chinese defenders had retreated before the landing of the Japanese forces and the invaders simply marched in to take possession. There was only one Japanese wounded in the occupation.

Although there were about 20 Japanese transports in Swatow harbour, passengers on the merchant ships anchored out at the bar saw no evidence of a blockade or patrol by the Japanese navy. One destroyer was sighted and six armed launches were observed at intervals.

No aviation operations were to be seen, the only plane sighted by people on the anchored ships being a Japanese seaplane which flew low over the harbour and proceeded to the Cape of Good Hope, 15 miles to the south.

It is presumed that the British vessels were prevented from entering port because naval authorities did not wish an incident of any sort to occur while negotiations were going on.

Bulgarian Town Flooded

Sewliewo Devastated By River Swollen in Storms in Balkans

Sofia, July 1.

Eyewitness accounts of the terrible catastrophe caused by storms in central Balkan countries on Thursday were received here.

Refugees relate that the Rossiza, an otherwise harmless mountain stream, became a roaring torrent bursting over the town of Sewliewo where great devastations were caused. More than one-third of the massively built town was utterly destroyed. A number of houses had to be vacated because there was danger of their collapsing. Many inhabitants were surprised by the swirling torrent while asleep.

The confusion of the population assumed greater dimensions when two hours after the first flood-wave the second one burst over the town. More lives were lost and again immense damage was done.

The streets and squares of the town looked like a great lake presenting a picture of desolation with remnants of collapsed walls projecting from the surface and many dead cattle floating on the current.

Farm Lands Devastated

The extent of material damage could not yet be fully estimated. The crops in the afflicted areas are completely destroyed. More than 50,000 hectares of arable land have been devastated. Great numbers of cattle have been killed.

The neighbourhood of Sewliewo is predominantly meadowland carrying many flocks of sheep which are usually driven every evening from the heights into the valleys. Many of these flocks and their shepherds have doubtless been seized by the torrent and carried away.

To relieve the distress, the Bulgarian Home Ministry has voted 100,000 lewa as a provisional grant. The Minister of the Interior, General Nedeff, and the President of the House of Deputies, M. Moschanoff, have gone to the distressed areas.

It is hoped that the sanitary measures taken will effectually prevent the occurrence and spread of epidemics. Great quantities of food and others are on their way from Sofia and leading provincial towns to the afflicted areas.

All Bulgaria was overwhelmed by the suddenness and magnitude of the catastrophe that has overtaken the country.—Trans-Ocean.

Germans Use Fibre Instead of Cotton

Berlin, June 30.

A list was published here today of 76 classes of articles, including beach garments and garden frocks which in future must contain no cotton. Other articles include flags, certain types of curtains, table cloths, scarves and hats. Instead of cotton, artificial fibre will be used for their manufacture.—Reuter.

FUNERAL

Mrs. E. M. Drake

A funeral (cremation) service for the late Mrs. Elaine Margareta Drake, whose death occurred at her residence early on Thursday morning, was held in the Bubbling Well Cemetery Chapel yesterday afternoon. The chief mourners were the sons, Mr. D. M. Drake and Mr. A. C. Drake. The services were conducted by the Very Rev. A. C. S. Trivett of the Cathedral. On the coffin rested a beautiful spray of flowers from Micky and Andrew, while surrounding the coffin were floral tributes from the following, among others:—

Gwen and Pete, Hilda, Lily, Kay and Darryl, Amy and Margaret, Helen and John Lerlou, Dr. and Mrs. Chadwick Kew and family, Nadja James, I. M. Watson, Miss Elsie R. Waelti, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moeller and Kiwi and Helen, Samuel Emamooden, Lydia, Olga, Mr. and Mrs. Mooney, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Tanner and family, Apprentices of S. P. Co. Mr. and Mrs. Willi Kolner, Kamilla and Ralph Keen, etc.

Funeral arrangements were carried out under the direction of Messrs. Thomas Macdonald & Co.

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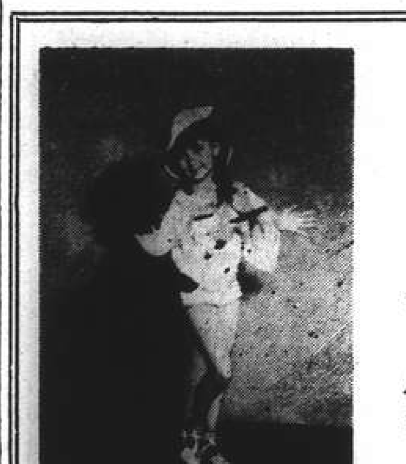

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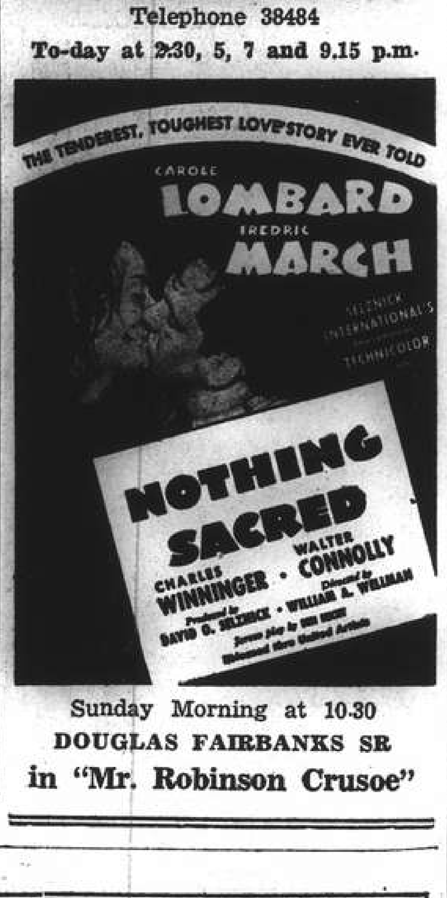

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FROM DAY TO DAY

A TURKISH trade delegation is expected to arrive in Paris next week to renew the Franco-Turkish trade agreement.

A DECREE issued yesterday forbids the use in Italy as from July 1 of iron wire netting and other metal materials for fencing off gardens, yards, lawns and building sites.

A BOMB thrown on Friday evening into the biggest circulating library in Allahabad, United Provinces, destroyed many extremely valuable books but caused no loss of lives.

BRIGADIER-General George Marshall, who is shortly to succeed General Malin Craig as Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army, has been promoted to the rank of Major-General.

DR. D. Farquharson of the Lester Chinese Hospital, will be the speaker over XMHD the China Christian Broadcast, tonight, from eight thirty to nine o'clock, the half hour of meditation in English.

THE monthly prayer meeting in the interests of preaching, teaching and relief work among the Jews, will be held this afternoon from 4.15 to 5.15 p.m., in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Griffin, 1531 Sinza Road, under the auspices of the Shanghai Hebrew Mission.

FOOCHOW and its suburbs are now being inundated as a result of the overflowing of flood waters from the Mienkiang (river) and other smaller rivers, following a record rainfall for the last 35 years, says a Chinese message to the "Shun Pao." The Mienkiang and other rivers, the report states, have risen by about 40 feet, following continual heavy showers since June 28.

BY order of the Chinese National Government, posthumous honours were conferred on Friday upon the late Mr. Tsao Hsi-kuei, well known Chinese revolutionary, who had been a close follower of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, says a Chungking report to the "Shun Pao." In recommending the posthumous honours, the National Government paid a warm tribute to the late Mr. Tsao's spirit of loyalty and devotion to the cause of the Chinese Revolution, the report states.

LORD Nuffield has invited Mr. William Coodenough, deputy chairman of Barclays Bank Ltd., General Sir Walter Kirke, new Inspector-General of the Home forces, and Sir Walter Citrine, General Secretary of the T.U.C. to act as trustees of his gift of £10,500,000 for recreational facilities of militiamen, territorials and other forces of the Crown. The money will be raised from 1,000,000 Morris shares, which is Lord Nuffield's actual gift, and to bring in an annual income of more than £100,000.

ON the proposal of the Rev. W. S. Tidal, of Edinburgh aged forty, seconded by the Rev. J. E. L. Newbigin, aged thirty, the Church of Scotland has decided to hold an inquiry into the morality of birth control. The proposal receive 78 votes against 58, and two members spoke in criticism. They paid a shilling each for permission to record ther dissent—a tradition of the assembly to prevent dissent being recorded except by members who feel strongly enough about it to pay the money.

HALF-A-DOZEN robins at Denham, bucks, are flying before they're hatched! Their nest is behind the engine of an aeroplane which makes regular flights. The mother bird leaves the nest when the plane starts, flies to a nearby perch, then when the machine returns she goes back to her sitting! The owner of the aerodrome, Dr. J. Myles Bickerton, doss not think the eggs will be harmed as the engine keeps them warm, but he does not know what is going to happen when they are hatched.

THE programme for the brass band concert to be given in the French Park, on Sunday, July 2, from 5.30 to 7 p.m. (weather permitting) is as follows:—

March Stars and Stripes for ever .Sousa
Selection Way down in Tennessee .....Knowles
Cornet Solo A Perfect Day .Carrie-Bond
Potpourrie Musical Jokes .....Hamm
Suite Americana .....Thurban
Tiger's Tail When Malina sings. The Water-Melon Patch.
Fiddler's Breakdown Turkey in the Straw .....Clarke
Suite Dwellers in the Western World .....Sousa

THE Navy Y.M.C.A. wishes to acknowledge with thanks the donation of books and magazines received from the following people during the month of June: Dr. Eula Eno, Major A. Bassett, Mrs. E. S. Smith, Miss L. K. Haass, Mr. Kent Lutey, Mrs. M. E. Terry, Mrs. P. H. Bordwell, Mr. E. M. Munson, Mr. J. C. Oliver, Mrs. E. L. McAllister, Miss E. N. Falck, Mr. W. A. Main, Mrs. M. T. Rankin, Mrs. McAllister, Presbyterian Church Council, Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Miss C. Barnaby, Miss E. Ivine, Rt. Rev. F. R. Graves, Mr. J. B. Davis, and Mr. H. A. Raider. The Navy "Y" can still make use of novels and story magazines.

CANADA'S War Memorial which was unveiled here by His Majesty, King George VI, on May 21 consists of a group of twenty-two bronze figures representing all arms of the service, who are presented as pressing eagerly forward between two granite columns. These columns are surmounted by an architrave bearing the herioc bronze figures of Peace and Freedom. The whole memorial is nearly seventy feet in height and faces the busy streets of Ottawa to the south, with the broad Ottawa River and the rugged hillsides of the Laurentians in the blue distance behind it. All the granite used in the memorial, amounting to 828 tons, was quarried in Canada.

THE Shanghai Municipal Police announce the undermentioned traffic arrangements for July 4, American National Holiday:—

American Club—Open House—12.15 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.

Special Parking Space will be reserved on Foochow Road (South side) between Kiangse and Szechuen Roads, and on Kiangse Road (West side) between Foochow and Hankow Roads.

The Car Park on Hankow Road (North side) between Kiangse and Honan Roads will also be available but not specially reserved.

Important.—Guests who already have their cars parked down and within easy reach by the Club are advised that they will probably save time and trouble by proceeding to the Club on foot or by rickshaws.

Base Ball Game 3.00 p.m. followed by Polo Game.—5.00 p.m. on Race Course Recreation Ground. Cars may park on the mud track of the Race Course under direction of Police on duty.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Community Church Wedding

The wedding took place at the Community Church at 3.30 p.m. yesterday of Mr. Randolph R. Raven, a member of the staff of the "North-China Daily News," and Miss Maisie Taylor, daughter of Mrs. L. Taylor of Shanghai. The ceremony was performed by Dr. John L. Caughey, Mr. R. G. Woodhead acting as best man. The bride was given away by Mr. H. H. Read, Mrs. G. T. Read (bride's sister) being Matron of Honour.

Briton Bound Over For Stealing

Registrar Gives Young Man Another Chance; Salvation Army to Shelter Accused

Charged with stealing an overcoat from a Chinese in Chapei, a young Eurasian British subject, Charles Antony Cameron, was given a chance to redeem himself yesterday morning by Mr. C. H. Haines, H. M. Registrar, who bound him over to be of good behaviour for two years. This action was taken after a Salvation Army officer came forward and offered to look after Cameron to the Amoy Road shelter.

The charge against Cameron was that on June 28, at 3 Sai Ai Lee alleyway, East Jukong Road, Chapei, he stole an overcoat, valued at $80, the property of Mr. Hyun S. Kim, contrary to Section 2 of the Larceny Act, 1916. At a previous hearing Cameron had pleaded guilty to this charge.

For the prosecution, Mr. P. Watkin Williams informed the Registrar that enquiries had been made in accordance with the Court's request and it had been discovered that Cameron had been assisted by the Salvation Army for one year up to June 1938.

Adjutant McIlvenny of the Salvation Army told the Registrar that Cameron had received assistance from them for six months last year and was then sent to Mr. Hersee at the Broadway Mansions. Nothing further had been heard of him, however, until this unfortunate incident had come to their notice. The Salvation Army, he said, was prepared to help Cameron at the Amoy Road Shelter.

Cameron, the Registrar stated, had been sleeping in empty houses and, apparently, had got into very bad company. He was very grateful if the Salvation Army would do something with the man. At this point Adjutant McIlvenny pointed out that Cameron was married and had children.

Wife Ran Away

Asked by the Registrar where his wife was Cameron replied "my wife ran away." He added, in answer to a further question, that he was not sure where she was now. He admitted that he had been a ward of the Court and had been under the care of Mr. Newman. "Why didn't you go to Mr. Newman if you were in trouble asked Mr. Haines, but Cameron did not reply.

He then admitted that he had been the manager of a stone quarry at Sungkiang but this position had been only temporary and he had stopped working there in April this year because they were going to break up the firm. Therefore he had nothing else to do but leave.

Cameron stated that he was willing to go to the Amoy Road Shelter and was then informed by Mr. Haines that he would have to do his best to repay the Salvation Army for what they were doing, firstly by behaving himself and secondly by trying to repay the cost of his keep when he was able.

On Good Behaviour

Mr. Haines then bound Cameron over in his own recognizances of $200, to be of good behaviour and to come up for judgment when called upon, for two years. This, he pointed out, meant that Cameron, if he committed any other offence, of which he was found guilty, would be liable to be tried also for this offence. If that should occur the Registrar stated he would not take a lenient view. He specially advised Cameron not to join up with bad company.

At the conclusion of the case Mr. Haines thanked the Salvation Army for their interest and asked Adjutant McIlvenny to convey his thanks to the Brigadier in Shanghai. He hoped that they would have success in putting Cameron on the right path.

Precautions Taken for Anniversary

Trouble on July 7 Guarded Against by Council

Mr. C. S. Franklin, Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council, on Friday informed Mr. Yoshiaki Miura, Japanese Consul-General, that he had taken necessary measures for the prevention of activities by anti-Japanese agitators, and control of Chinese language newspapers in the Settlement, in connection with the July 7 anniversary of the commencement of hostilities, a spokesman of the Japanese Consulate-General announced yesterday morning.

The S.M.C. notification was given in reply to Mr. Miura's request on Thursday for action on the part of the Settlement authorities to guard against possible anti-Japanese activities and terrorist incidents on the anniversary.

An air raid shelter is being built outside the library of Trinity College, Dublin, to protect the Book of Kells and other priceless manuscripts should the need arise. It will be lined with about three feet of armoured plate.

New Sino-French Co. Being Organized

To Relieve Congestion on Chungking Traffic

Shanghai business men who have been carrying on trade with merchants in the interior under the National Governmental rule will feel relieved to learn that a Sino-French transportation company is reported to be organized with a view to relieving the congested condition of cargo traffic in Haiphong which has been the pivot of traffic between Shanghai, Hongkong and the southwest.

It will be recalled that it was previously reported that shipping interests and merchants in general in Shanghai felt much concerned over the condition in Haiphong where all godowns were filled to capacity of goods destined for the interior. The delayed transportation caused damage to goods. While merchants in the interior anxiously were waiting for the goods they ordered Shanghai interior anxiously were waiting for merchants and shipping interests felt inconvenient to send any more cargo to Haiphong.

Trade Leaders Confer

To settle this problem discussions are reported to have recently been held between the chairman of the French Chamber of Commerce in Indo-China and Mr. Ho Shih-kwang, chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce in Hongkong and some other Shanghai merchants. As a result of these discussions they decided to form a Sino-French transportation company. The report states that new routes will be utilized to relieve the congestion on the French Indo-China railway lines. It would appear that they will not find a solution of the problem in Haiphong itself where, according to previous reports, no space can be found for building big new godowns.

Since the disruption of the train service of the Canton-Hankow Railway Haiphong has become the centre of trade and it is estimated that about 60,000 tons of cargo is there awaiting transportation.

Nigeria Air Service To Be Extended

Weekly Flights from Khartoum To Takoradi (Gold Coast)

London, June 30.

The proposed agreement with the Imperial Airways for the continued operation of the air service connecting Nigeria and the Gold Coast with the main Empire route to South Africa at Khartoum, is published in a White Paper issued today.

The existing agreement expires today, and the proposed agreement provides for the continuance of the service by extending the existing agreement for a period of six months.

Ths agreement will be the subject to earlier termination within that period if the proposed corporation for which a provision is made in the British Overseas Airways Bill, now before Parliament, is established before the end of the year.

The service will be operated between Khartoum and Takoradi—the route having been extended to the latter place on May 2—and there will, as hitherto, be one flight a week in each direction.—Wireless through Reuter.

World Propaganda Intensified

British News Agency Handicapped Against Subsidized Rivals

London, June 30.

The value of "the printed word" as a weapon in British publicity armament was emphasized by Sir Roderick Jones, Chairman of Reuters, at today's session of the Empire Press Union Conference.

Propagation of the printed word, he said, was most highly organized, most widespread, most potent and most enduring in its achievement. Notwithstanding the success which attended the British Broadcasting Corporation's home and foreign language broadcasts and the increasing circle of listeners, Sir Roderick Jones continued, newspaper circulations today soared higher than ever.

"The printed word," he said, "is read more than it has ever been." No nation, he continued, could afford to ignore or under-rate the press as a means of informing and influencing people at large.

Sir Roderick Jones proceeded to dwell on the enormous outlay by totalitarian governments on issuing the printed word.

Propaganda Subsidized

"This news propaganda," he declared, "can only be held at bay successfully by a British news service of the highest quality. One such has long existed—the only British agency which penetrates to the majority of foreign countries and elsewhere. But, conducted on strictly commercial lines, it can no longer compete in volume with the heavily subsidized foreign services, totalitarian or otherwise, which it encounters chiefly on the Continent of Europe and in the Far East.

"Unless some means can be devised for utilising the worldwide organization of this British service for the dissemination of a volume of news sufficiently large to counterbalance the influence of its subsidized rivals and for making available to British newspapers not only British news and the British viewpoint, but the British version of international events in supplement of and in correction of the version given out by others—unless this could be done, our country's cause, the cause of the Empire, the British Commonwealth of Nations, will suffer, so far as we are concerned, in the eyes of the rest of the world."

Correctives Essential

Sir Roderick Jones said that the problem was how to place British news in foreign countries financially in a position to counteract its competitors without exposing it to the taint of subsidy and the loss of its reputation for independence.

During the subsequent debate, the speakers endorsed the views of Sir Roderick Jones, and the following resolution, moved by Sir Stanley Reed, M.P., was unanimously carried:—

"That this conference, while recognizing the work that is being done by the B.B.C. and other agencies in the promotion of British publicity abroad, urges upon the Government the necessity of encouraging, by every means in its power, increased dissemination of British news and of international news of British origin, through existing unofficial channels, to the newspapers of foregn countries, as a corrective to the heavily subsidized foreign services now in circulation."—Reuter.

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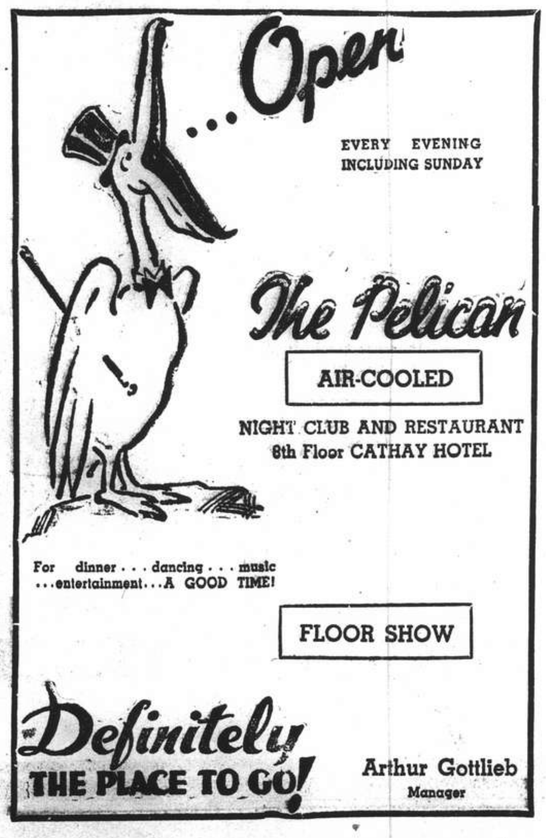

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Whether the finger that turns the dial to certain digits on the white disk of your telephone be old or young, rich or poor, the dial obeys the command, and the machinery behind the dial executes the order. You speak into the mouthpiece and are heard by someone miles away who replies and is heard by you. Time and distance are spanned, verbal contact is effected, though exchanged almost instantly—and we think nothing of it.

Thoughts Conveyed

Suppose we dial a number, and like Alice in Wonderland who went through the Looking Glass, let us go through the dial into a fascinating mechanical world where thousands of little gadgets invented and created by man do a clever, thoughtful job of work, more efficiently, accurately, continuously and intelligently than any human being could perform it.

When you remove the handset from your instrument and place the receiver to your ear you hear a steady humming sound—the dialling tone. It is most important to hear this tone before you dial because the sound of the dialling tone means that you are connected with a part of the main equipment in the exchange. It is a response to your gesture of command and indicates that the machinery is ready, waiting to go into action for the purpose of calling some person to attention with whom you wish to speak.

Separated Insulated Wires

Every telephone in Shanghai has a separate pair of insulated wires connecting it to the telephone exchange. These wires become joined together by two small metallic contacts in the telephone when the handset has been removed, thus permitting an electrical current to flow at the exchange where it will set in motion other mechanisms.

Assuming you have dialled 79834:—When the dial is returning from the figure 7 certain contacts in the dial open and close seven times. This operation signals seven electrical impulses to the registering equipment of the exchange, which in turn causes the operation of the required number of electro-mechanical-switches. In order words, the exchange has been notified that a number beginning with the digit 7 is being dialled, so the call is directed to that group of subscribers' numbers which begin with 7.

This performance is repeated as each different digit is dialled. Your next signal routes the call to a group of subscribers' numbers which start with 79. At the third dialling motion it comes into a more selective group whose numbers commence with 798. In due course it arrives after the fifth turn of the dial at the terminal of the one and only subscriber who is identified as Mr. 79834, and you have got your man. Each digit you turned the dial to, opened and closed the contacts in the dial a corresponding number of times, and these signals were instantly flashed to the exchange. The exchange received the signals and used the record thus obtained to complete the connection.

With Unerring Precision

Besides doing this work, the machinery in the exchange also knows and can determine with unerring precision whether a particular line is free, engaged or out of order, by the electrical condition of the called line when it is found by the last switch. For example: on a free line the switch will find a battery connection, which means that the telephone of the person you are calling is not being used at the time. On an engaged line the switch will find what is called an earth connection, and then you can hear the busy signal. When a telephone is out of order, the switch will discover that the line has become connected to a special electrical circuit which indicates it is out of order, and sends on the number unobtainable tone to the caller.

Subscribers are not billed for engaged numbers, no-reply or out-of-order calls, because this marvellous machinery is extremely conscientious in this respect. A metring system, controlled by electro-magnetic apparatus is constantly functioning. It is kept under such close observation that the possibility of error is practically non-existent. Moreover, it is electrically impossible for a call to be metred unless a called party has answered, and when this is accomplished the call can only be metered against the calling party or line.

Eight Exchanges

Eight exchanges in various parts of the city are all working simultaneously. The reason there are a number of exchanges rather than one large central unit capable of handling all the city's telephone traffic is obvious. It is entirely a matter of dollars and cents, owing to the cost of the copper required for the many thousands of miles of additional telephone wire if there were only one large central unit. The same principle applies as in the case of street traffic.

Whereas every city requires many thoroughfares to carry its internal traffic, the amount of traffic between cities can readily be accommodated on comparatively few roads. Similarly, the inter-exchange telephone traffic is carried on a comparatively small number of junction lines, whereas if every subscriber in Shanghai were connected to one big central exchange, many more thousands of miles of wire would be required than is the case at present.

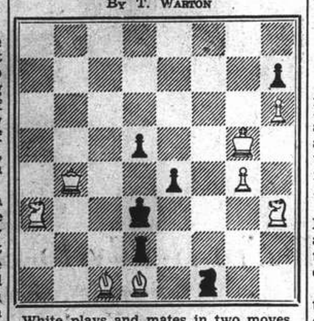
Some may lament that the swift toll-taking tempo of our lives today is cruelly geared to keep pace with the heartless soulless machinery of this great machine age. And yet, your telephone is frequently the means of averting grave catastrophes because—it saves money, it saves time, it saves life.

Pictures in Colour

CHESS

PROBLEM No. 167

By T. Warton



White plays and mates in two moves.

Answer to Problem No. 166

White: K on QB1; Q on QB4; R's on K2, KB3; B's on QB7, KB5; Kt's on KKt3, KR3; P on K7. Black: K on KB3; Q on KKt1; R's on Q3, KR1; B's on QR1, KKt2; Kt on Q6; P's on QKt3, Q2, KB2; KKt4. Two moves. Key Q — QKt4. Threat Q × R.

Black	White
1. R — B3ch	2. B — B2
1. R — Q4	2. Kt — K4
1. R — K3	2. B — K4
1. R else	2. B — K5
1. B — Q4	2. Q — Q4
1. B — B1	2. P — Kt
1. B — R3	2. Kt — R5

A very fine complex of interference play. The Black R twice interferes with his QB, and the B in turn obstructs the R. There is also a charming self-block by R — K3, opening lines for both the White Q and QB in the White interference mate. As a sideline we have the other Black B behaving badly to his Q and KR. The late E. E. Westbury produced the scheme, with small differences in the setting; about the same time. Andrade showed a flawed version.

The following submitted correct solutions to Prob. No. 166:—J. Lawrence Rozario, L. de Sa and C.R.D.

From the Kemeri Tourney

French Defence

White Hasenfuss	Black Besrutschko
1. P — K4	P — K3
2. P — Q4	P — Q4
3. Kt — QB3	B — Kt5
4. P — K5	P — QB4
5. B — Q2 (a)	P × P (b)
6. Kt — Kt5	B × Bch
7. Q × B	Kt — QB3
8. Castles	Kt × P (c)
9. Q × P	P — B3 (d)
10. Q — B5	K — B2 (e)
11. Kt — Q6ch	K — Kt3
12. P — KB4	Kt — B2
13. P — B5ch!	P × P
14. R × P	Kt × Kt (f)
15. R × Kt	Q — B1
16. Kt — B3	P — KR4
17. Kt — R4ch	K — R3
18. B — Q3	Kt — K2
19. R — K1	P — KKt4
20. Q — K5	Kt — Kt1 (g)
21. Kt × Pch	K — R2 (h)
22. Q — K8	Resigns

(a) The fashionable move; P — QR3 is strong, and P × P is thought too weak.

(b) This introduces critical play. Kt — K2, for Castling, avoids complications by White's Kt — Kt5. Another respectable move is Kt — QB3, on White's QP.

(c) An error, letting in the White Q. Black need not fear Kt — Q6ch, for after his K — B1 the White Kt cannot be maintained on his outpost. Mr. Besrutchko could play P — B3 at this point.

(d) QKt moves, 10. Q × KtP, Q — B3, 11. Q × Q, followed by Kt — B7ch.

(e) R — Kt1, 11. Kt — Q6ch, K — Q2, 12. B — Kt5ch, Kt —B3, 13. Kt — B7 — dreadful for Black.

(f) The best chance is B — K3. If then 15. Kt × Kt, there follows Q × R, 16. Kt × Rch, K — R3, 17. Q — K3ch, P — KKt4, 18. P — KR4, K — Kt2, with some counter-attacking hopes. If 14...Q — Kt3, simply 15. Kt × B.

(g) Back to grass.

(h) B × Kt, 22. Q × B, Q — B2 or Kt2, 23. R — Q7!

Queer Ending

White is A. Fellows (Customs and Exercise): K on KKt1; Q on QB2; R's on QB1, KB1; B's on Q3, KR2; Kt on KKt5; P's on QR2, QB3, 4, Q5, K4, KB2, KR3. Black is H. W. Hillier (Patent Office): K on KKt1; Q on QR4; R's on QR1, KB1; B on Q2; Kt's on QR5, KKt2; P's on QR2, QKt2, QB4, Q3, K2, KB3, KKt3. White breaks through on the K side, insufficiently protected by Black.

White	Black
1. P — K5!	P × P
2. B × KP	P — B3 (a)
3. B × KtP	P × B (b)
4. B — B7ch	R × B
5. Q — R7ch	K — B1
6. Q — R8	Mate

(a) Unsound. He should play Kt — B4 when White would have to rearrange his attacking pieces.

(b) Or P × Kt, 4. B — R7ch, K — R1, 5. Q — Kt6, R — B3 (best), 6. B × R, P × B, 7. Q — R6. White gains the KKt if he wants it or he can play for a mate by 8. R — K1 threatening B — Kt6ch.—"Observer."

Polish Colonial and Sea Festival

Today's Celebration by Poles In Shanghai

Sponsored by the Polish Youth Association in co-operation with the local Polish Residents Association an important celebration of Poland's annual Colonial and Sea Festival in the garden of the Polish Legation in Shanghai will be staged today. at 4 p.m.

The Sea Festival is held to express Poland's determination to develop and improve her rapidly growing sea trade which is so vital for the country's economic welfare.

The object of this festival is also to collect necessary funds for the construction of new war vessels. Poland's sea trade has shown remarkable increase since the first national port of Gdynia rapidly grew from a small fishing hamlet into a modern port which handles the largest proportion of Baltic sea trade. Apart from the commercial point of view the Sea and Colonial Festival celebration has a deep significance for the nationals of Poland, who in Poland as well as all over the world prepare elaborately for the event. Locally the holiday will be observed more in the manner of dedication. But in Poland the symbolic ceremony of wedding the country to the sea is being observed this year in Gdynia, where many thousands of Poles from all over the country are gathered for the celebration around camp-fires and where a striking touch of pageantry is added with the wearing of national costumes.

Early in 1920, when Poland regained Pomorze (Pomerania)—improperly known abroad as the "Corridor"—to signify the importance of the sea to Poland an ancient ceremony was revived. A detachment of Polish cavalry galloped down to the sea shore and entering the waves of the Baltic hurled a gold ring into the sea to mark Poland's "Betrothal to the Sea."

Pomorze is not merely a passage to the sea but an old Polish province nearly as large as Belgium and part of the actual body of Poland. It is of vital necessity to the country as ensuring that free access to the sea without which Poland's economic welfare cannot be maintained.

During the celebration of the festival a slogan of Poland's foreign policy will be declared.

Snapshot Guild

In the past few years, many thousands of amateur camera hobbyists have started taking pictures in full colour. This summer, thousands more will take up this fascinating form of photography, using full-colour films.

It is hard for some of us, who are used to black-and-white snapshots, to imagine taking a picture in full colour as easily as in black-and-white. Yet these colour films enable us to do just that. Moreover, the pictures are not prints on paper but film transparencies, ideal for viewing colour at its best. With simple projection equipment, these transparencies can be shown on a home screen magnified to almost any desired size.

Thousands of such colour pictures are being shown this year at the New York World's Fair—projected on enormous screens so that each picture is enlarged approximately 50,000 times. Until one sees such an exhibition, is impossible to realize how much the presence of colour can add to photography.

Relatively few of the subjects we choose for pictures are lacking in colour. Count them over—children, flowers, scenes about the home, landscapes, picnics, and sports events, water scenes, sunsets, and the like. Study such subjects, and you begin to understand how much more life and realism they retain when pictured in full colour.

Miniature cameras are used for taking these full-colour pictures. Until recently, inexpensive cameras of this type were not made, but now they are available at prices as low as U.S.$14, and suitable for taking pictures in black-and-white as well as in colour.

Full-colour picture taking will spread greatly in the next few years, and wide-awake hobbyists will plan now to take full advantage of this amazing development.

CONTRACT

By Albert H. Morehead

(In the New York "Times")

To judge from the results of recent questionnaires and surveys pertaining to the laws of contract bridge, most leading bridge players believe that the laws should be revised but have widely divergent views on what changes should be made; while the average players do not particularly care whether the present rules are replaced by a new code or continued as they are. Committees of the Whist Club, which has heretofore prepared the laws governing rubber bridge, and the American Contract Bridge League, which wrote the duplicate bridge laws, are this year consulting on the preparation of new laws for both games. They are to be effective in 1940, following the plan undertaken in 1935, when the present code was released.

The surveys suggested several changes. One was to make all suits (except no trump) of one value—30 points per trick (rank of suits to remain the same for bidding purposes). Another was to establish a sub-slam bonus for bidding and making 5 tricks; a third was to increase penalties for large sets.

The most players, the most important question concerning the laws will be whether the scoring table will be changed or not. When league members were approached on the subject, 79 per cent. of them felt that scoring changes were unnecessary, but not undesirable; while a selected list of championship-winners voted 57 per cent. for such a change.

Mr. Harold S. Vanderbilt, who introduced contract bridge to this country and has always done most of the drafting of the laws, will be in England during June and July, and in Newport in August, pursuing the sport for which he is best known, yacht racing. For the first time, therefore, the drafting of the code will be done by other members of the committees representing the Whist Club and the A. C. B. L.

Grand Slam by Defenders

The bluff no-trump overcall lost most of its popularity when, about three years ago, the general trend away from all psychic bidding began. It still bobs up now and then, and recently caused an unusual result: declarer failed to win a trick. He transgressed even the rules for psychic bidding, however, when he bid a fake no trump without a long suit into which he could escape; and when he failed to rescue himself from a disastrous doubled contract.

North: ♠ 8 7 6 2 ♡ J 6 5 ◇ K 10 ♣ 10 9 4 2

West: ♠ K 10 9 5 3 ♡ 10 8 ◇ J 9 4 2 ♣ K 7

East: ♠ A Q ♡ K Q 7 4 2 ◇ A Q ♣ A J 8 6

South: ♠ J 4 ♡ A 9 3 ◇ 8 7 6 5 3 ♣ Q 5 3

North dealt, with East-West vulnerable.

North	East	South	West
Pass	1 Heart	1 No trump	Pass
Pass	Double	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West opened the ten of hearts, dummy's jack covered and East played the queen. South, hoping for a heart return which would give him two tricks immediately, failed to win with the ace. This cost him the only trick he could have won. East saw the danger of a heart return and played the ace, then the queen of spades, a bold but effective defence. West overtook the spade queen with the king, cashed another spade, and then, being confident of entry later in clubs, shifted to a diamond. This trapped dummy's king, and East, after taking both his diamonds, led a club to West's king. West then played out her remaining spades and diamonds.

This reduced every one to two cards. East threw all his hearts and saved two clubs; South, trying to to save the heart ace, blanked his club queen. If he had thrown the heart, West's eight would have been established. By his discard of the club, he allowed West to lead a club and East to win the last two tricks with the ace and jack. The penalty of 1,300 points exceeded the value of the rubber to East-West. They they were, have made a small slam, but could not reasonably have bid could, with the cards distributed as it.

The Chairman of the Cathedral women's committee said that one hundred and forty tooth-brushes, one hundred and forty nail-brushes, sixty sponges with butchers' skewers, orange sticks and eggs are being used in the cleaning of the ancient tombs and monuments of Gloucester Cathedral.

From a Clubman's Chair

The Queen Mary Beats Rivals; Link With Charles II For Sale; Five Postcards of Historic Interest

By Charles Martin

On her voyage from Southampton to Quebec, her first Atlantic trip this year, the Empress of Britain was booked almost to capacity. Westward traffic on the Atlantic in recent months on all British lines has been a good deal in excess of the business for the corresponding period last year. How do bookings on the British ships compare with those on German and French ships? I have been given the figures for the last crossings of the Europa, the Normandie and the Queen Mary.

The German liner had 463 passengers; her total accommodation is 2,200. The French boat carried approximately 700; her maximum is 1971. The British ship left for New York with 1,102 passengers; she can accommodate 2,140. On those sailing in the Europa, no fewer than 70 were German Jewish refugees going to settle in the United States. Apart from 133 Americans, the majority of the non-Germans were Japanese or Italians.

Houses Where Kings Lived

A London firm has for disposal two houses, both of which were once occupied by royalty. How much this association adds to the price is not disclosed, but both have other attractions. The oldest is River House, in the Upper Mall, Hammersmith, reputed to have been the property, at one time, of Charles II. The seventeenth century fireplaces and much of the original panelling have been preserved in excellent condition and the Merry Monarch must have appreciated the fine view across the Thames. William Morris once lived in a neighbouring house.

More modern is Oakhurst Court, formerly the Sussex home of King Carol of Rumania. The amenities of this 10-bedroom house include a billiard room, hard lawn tennis courts and a white-tiled swimming bath. I am told that the reserve price at the auction sale will be £2,250.

Premier Signs Postcards

Autographs of celebrities usually have a low cash value, because they are easy to obtain. A film star scrawls his name in books and on pieces of paper hundreds of times in his career, as also do the leading cricketers, footballers and the other famous people who are "hunted" for their signatures.

If scarcity has anything to do with it, the five postcards recently signed by the Prime Minister may one day bring large sums to their owners. Certainly they will be of historic interest. The postcards are of Mr. Chamberlain and Herr Hitler together at Godesberg. They enjoyed a big sale in Germany, but were suppressed by Dr. Goebbels after Munich.

Sir John Jarvis, an English Member of Parliament, in Godesberg recently on business, stayed at the same hotel used by Mr. Chamberlain on his visit last year. He was asked if he could get his Prime Minister to sign a postcard commemorating the famous occasion. Actually five postcards were produced and Sir John promised to do his best. Mr. Chamberlain proved willing to oblige and five German households now possess an interesting memento of a memorable trip. It is doubtful whether they will show their acquisitions to Dr. Goebbels.

Bernard Shaw Boom

Following his film success Mr. Bernard Shaw has once again become London's champion playmaker. Soon he will have three of his works running in the West End—two old-timers revived and his topical "Geneva." "Pygmalion" is to be produced at the Haymarket Theatre; "The Doctor's Dilemma" recently passed the 200 mark for the present run, which has now totalled more performances than all its other performances since 1906 added together.

How rich is this socialist who advocates equal incomes for all? No one knows, of course, but there is no doubt that he is making more money from the London theatre than ever before. In the last six months he has probably received £2,000 from "Geneva" and about half that sum from "The Doctor's Dilemma."

The best musical instruments may not be made in London, but it seems that sooner or later the best musical instruments, particularly violins, come to London to be repaired. Not a week passes without the fiddle doctors, for which the capital is noted, receiving at least one "patient." Some arrive in fragments, the result of an accident; others are unbroken but the owners complain of a weakened tone. All are given the treatment they need—a major operation perhaps, or just a rest cure.

Not long ago audiences in South Africa were delighted with the strains of an Amati which has gone all round the world since it was smuggled out of Russia during the Revolution. The bandmaster, Ichilchik, hid the violin under his coat but the instrument was struck by a bullet. It developed "heart" trouble and was sent to London to be put right. The "heart" of a violin is the soundpost. In the Amati this had been moved 1/64th by the impact of the bullet. The fault diagnosed, it was soon remedied, and the instrument is now valued at £800.

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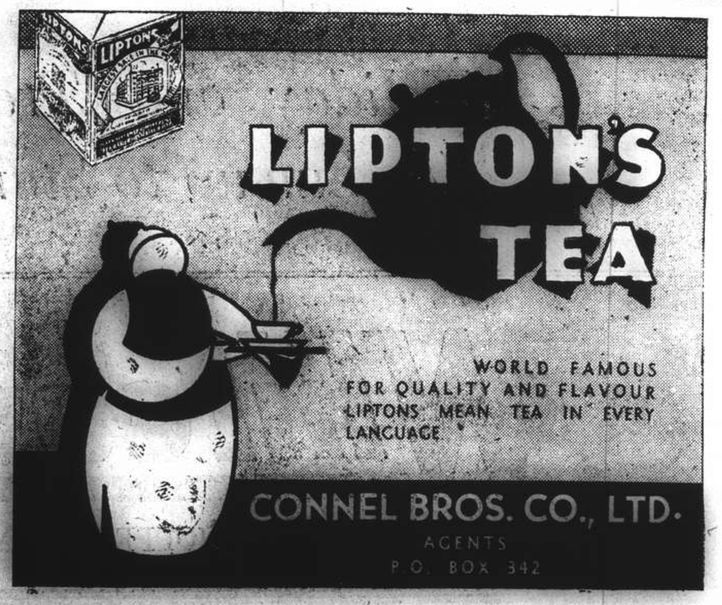

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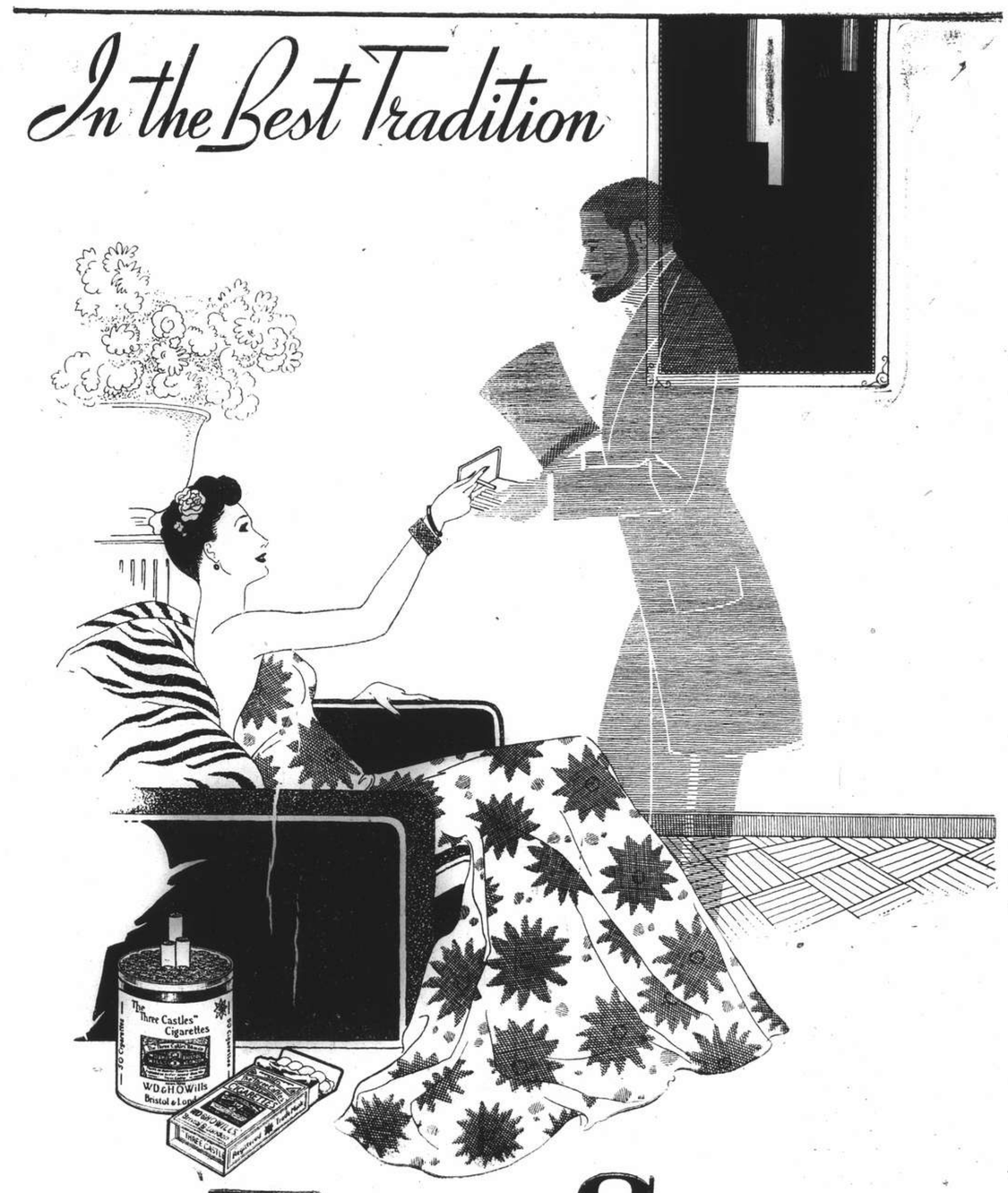

WILLS'S THREE CASTLES

CIGARETTES

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

London Stocks

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, June 30.

The speech of Lord Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, was responsible for the improved market sentiment on the Stock Exchange today, but British gilt-edged securities were depressed by initial dealings in the London County Council Loan at 2½ per cent. discount. Elsewhere, distillers advanced sharply on the maintenance of the dividend of 22½ per cent., combined with the distribution of a 40 per cent. share bonus.—Reuter.

	June 29	30
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£93½	93½
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	33½	33
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	41½	41
Osaka, July 1.		
Kogo 5%		Y.104.48
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	17/6	17/3
Armstrong Stevens	5/9	5/6
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	39/4½	38/10½
Austin Motors, ord.	29/4½	28/9
Bristol Aeroplane	19/10½	19/10½
British American Tob.	95/-	95/-
Cable & W., new form	49¼	48½
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/-	7/-
Courtaulds	25/-	25/3
Distillers	93/-	97/6
Dunlop Rubber	26/3	26/3
General Elec. (Eng.)	75/3	74/4½
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	106/9	106/-
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	17/3	17/3
Imp. Chem. Indus.	29/4½	29/1½
Imp. Tobacco	126/3	126/3
Leyland Motors	88/4½	88/9
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	57/4½	57/-
Pressed Steel, com.	17/-	16/9
Rolls-Royce	102/6	101/3
Smethwick Drop Forgings	14/9	14/9
Tate & Lyle	61/4½	61/3
Turner & Newall	76/3	75/6
United Steel	23/1½	23/-
Vickers, ord.	18/4½	18/3
Woolworths	61/4½	61/3
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	23/9	23/3
Rubber Pltn. Inv. Trust	26/9	26/7½
MINES		
Burma Corp.	7/3	7/6
Commonwealth Min.	Unq.	Unq.
Marsman Invest.	14/1½	14/1½
Randfontein Ests.	36/3	36/3
Sub-Nigel	202/6	202/6
Tanami Gold Min.	4½d.	4½d.
Western Holdings	10/9	11/4½
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	68/9	70/-
Burmah	66/3	67/6
Mexican Eagle	7/3	7/3
Shell Trans. & Trad.	81/3	81/3
CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£50	50
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	46	46
4½% Anglo-French Loan	44	44
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	22½	22½
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	34	34½
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	13½	12
5% Honan Rly., 1905	13	10
5% Hukuang Rly., 1913	18	14
5% " " (Ger. Is.)	16	13
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	13	13
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	17	17
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	12	12
5% " " G.	12	12
5% " " (Supl. Loan) B.	12	12
5% " " (Supl. Loan) G.	12	12
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	14	14
S'hai Elec. Construction	22/6 N	22/6 N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	26⅞ N	26⅞ N
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	7	7
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	80	79½
" " (Col. Reg.)	80½	80½
Chinese Eng. & Min.	17/9	17/9
Chosen Corp.	5/-	5/-
Pekin Syndicate	1/9 N	1/9 N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	17/6	17/6

N—Nominal.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: June 30.

Japan	78¾	London	1/5 31/32
New York	286⅝	2 mths	
Shanghai	39¾	" (sellers)	1/5 47/64
Hongkong	84¾	" (buyers)	1/5 53/64

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	468.12	Shanghai	6⅞d N
Paris	176.74	Bombay	1/5 59/64
Berlin	11.66½	Hongkong	1/2⅞
Amsterdam	8.81⅞	Singapore	2/4 1/16
Brussels	27.53½	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	42.25	" (buying)	Unq.
Milan	89.00	C'slovakia	136.87
Berne	20.77½		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.12	Japan	27.31
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	13.00
Holland	53.06	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.64⅞	C'slovakia	Unq.
Brussels	16.99	Hungary	19.75
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.72
S'zerland	22.52	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.10½	Greece	0.85⅞
Norway	23.52½	Bulgaria	1.20
Denmark	20.90	Finland	2.07
Montreal	99.680	Poland	18.85
Brazil	5.10		

London	4.68⅛
" Demand	4.68
" Bankers' 60 days bills	4.67 13/32
" Commercial 60 days bills	4.67 13/32
Buenos Aires Paper	29.04
" " market rate	23.20
Montreal on London	469⅝

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: June 30.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 21/32%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	3¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3¾%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for	0½%B
1, 2 and 3 months	0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for	0 9/16%B
4 months	0½%A
Call money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

U.S. Silver Imports

New York, June 30.

Silver to the total value of $2,707,000 was imported by the United States during the week ended June 23, compared with $1,507,000 during the previous week.

Consignments of the white metal during the period under review were received from the following principal sources: Canada $408,000; Mexico $840,000; Chile $6,000; The Philippines $38,000; Peru $146,000; Bolivia $10,000; British Malaya $32,000; Great Britain $1,080,000; Japan $148,000; and The Netherlands $7,000.

Imports during the previous week came from the following principal countries: Canada $150,000; Mexico $760,000; Chile 25,000; The Philippines $3,000; Peru $65,000; Argentina $4,000; Nicaragua $2,000; Bolivia $7,000; British Malaya $22,000; France $2,000; Great Britain $243,000; Guatemala $1,000; Honduras $59,000; Salvador $1,000; Japan $157,000; Australia $4,000.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Bids in Pesos)

July 1	Bid Prices a.m. Closing	p.m. Closing
Antamok	.185	—
Atok	.19	—
Balatoc	7.50	—
Batong	.011	—
Benguet Consolidated	10.00	—
Big Wedge	.18	—
Coco Grove	.26	—
Demonstration	.08	—
I X L	.43	—
Masbate	.10	—
North Camarines	.235	—
Sam Mauricio	.84	—
Surigao Con., Com.	.19	—
Surigao Con. Vot. Trust	.18	—
Suyoc	.12	—
United Paracale	.375	—

Turnover: 3,090,100 Pesos 288,194
Shares Index: (closing prices): 89.07.
—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 30.

The cotton market early declined on liquidation and selling, induced by lower Bombay advices and uncertainties surrounding the European situation. Steady Liverpool cables were ignored. Later, the market further eased on weak southern advices and trade and commission house selling, and finally closed from 11 to 14 points down, compared with yesterday's final levels.

Continued narrow conditions were witnessed in the market for raw rubber futures. The market was principally a trading affair, with some switching in evidence. Closing quotations ranged from 1 point up to 10 points down.

A sharp reaction was recorded in wheat prices on the Chicago Board of Trade. Lower Winnipeg advices and switching, combined with weather considerations, were the main factors influencing the decline. At the final bell, losses ranging from ⅝ to 1¼ cents were recorded.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
July	9.30-30	—11	July	16.36-38	+01
Oct.	8.61-61	—12	Sept.	16.35-35	—05
Dec.	8.42-42	—12	Dec.	16.35-40	—10
Jan.	8.31 N	—13	Mar.	16.40-40	—07
Mar.	823-23	—14			
May	8.17-17	—13			

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Sept.	1.25½-26½	—03	July (No. 1)		
	B/A			2.45B-46A	+04

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
July	70½-70⅝	—1¼	July	46⅞-47	—⅝
Sept.	72-72⅛	— ¾	Sept.	48⅞-49	—⅝
Dec.	73½-73⅝	— ⅝	Dec.	50⅛-50¼	—⅜

Winnipeg Wheat		
July	59¾-59⅞	—⅝
Oct.	61-61⅛	—⅝
Dec.	62¾-62⅞	—½

A—Asked. B—Bid.—Reuter.

British Commodities

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, June 30.

Among commodities, sugar, after a firm opening, relapsed sharply on profit-taking and hedge-selling.

London Rubber:—Spot buyers 8 3/16 unchanged, sellers 8¼ —1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): Aug. 8/3½ —2½; Dec. 6/3¾ —2½; March 6/4¼ —3¼.

Liverpool Wheat:—July 3/10¾ —⅞; Oct. 4/2¼ —⅞; December 4/4⅛ —1.

Liverpool Cotton:—American Futures:—July 5.00 +2; Sept. 4.75 +3; Oct. 4.63 +2; Nov. 4.52 +1. Egyptian Futures (Giza F.G.F. No. 7) No. 2 Contract: July 6.31 —6; Sept. 6.31 —6; Oct. 6.41 —4; Nov. 6.44 —4.

London Metals:—Copper, Standard, cash sellers £42 7/16 +3/16, 3 mths. sellers £42¾ +⅛. Electrolytic buyers £48 +½, sellers £48¾ +½. Tin, Standard, cash sellers £230 unchanged, 3 mths. sellers £224½ +⅛. Lead, Foreign, Official price cash sellers £14¾ +3/16, 3 mths. sellers £14¾ +3/16. Spelter, Ordinary, official price cash sellers £14 1/16 +⅛, 3 mths. sellers £14¼ +1/16.—Reuter.

Annual Meeting of the Reichsbank

Berlin, July 1.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Reichsbank shareholders yesterday, the President of the Reichsbank and Minister of Economics, Herr Walther Funk, outlined the importance of an advisory council still to be appointed which will be divided up into six committees.

Referring to the opening of the capital market to private investors, Herr Funk declared that in order to meet the great requirements of private business the capital market had to be placed on a broader basis and the taxation policy had to be properly adjusted to the capital market. The capital market could not function unless certain tax alleviations would be made, particularly in the field of movements of capital. The new financial plan contained the first beginnings of necessary and justified tax alleviations. High dividends were no proof of profitableness of business.

The Minister stressed the necessity of a proper proportion between the yields on shares and bonds. "The stock exchange is a vital instrument also for National Socialist political economy," Herr Funk declared, "but we must bring it to a better functioning."

The annual report was read and the offer of compensation to shareholders was unanimously approved. —Trans-Ocean.

Movements of Gold in The United Kingdom

London, June 30.

Gold movements in the United Kingdom during the week ended June 28, resulted in a surplus of export over imports of £2,029,000 compared with net exports of £6,954,000 for the previous week.

Exports during the period under review amounted to £5,718,000 and included sshipments to the following principal countries. United States £5,525,000, France £24,000, The Netherlands £103,000, British India £37,000 and Switzerland £22,000. Exports during the previous week totalled £9,671,000 including £8,537,000 to the United States, £36,000 to France, £79,000 to the Netherlands and £1,016,000 to Siam.

Imports during the period under review amounted to £3,689,000 and included shipments from the principal sources: £1,594,000 from The Netherlands. £157,000 from Southern Rhodesia, £1,828,000 from British Africa, £67,000 from British India and £26,000 from Gelgium. The previous week's imports totalled £2,717,000 including shipments from the following principal sources: The Netherlands £747,000, Southern Rhodesia £26,000, British Africa £1,670,000, British India £240,000 and £23,000 from Switzerland.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, June 30.

Despite the lack of any improvement in the international situation and the receipt of poor reports from foreign exchanges, the market on the Paris Bourse today opened somewhat steady amid active trading. During the session, fractional advances were registered on several counters. However, internationals weakened towards the close, dragging other issues with them. The market ended the day heavy.—Havas.

New York Stocks

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, June 30.

Stock prices mostly moved up from fractions to 1 point today in a session of light trading, in which aviation steels, motors and coppers showed the principal gains. However, the European tension, pre-holiday considerations and revival of confusion over the Monetary Bill tended to restrict activity. On the other hand, pressure remained light, with many quarters believing that the market is in an oversold condition. The volume of business passing amounted to 600,000 shares.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	131.16	128.97	130.63	+0.58
20 Rails	25.90	25.57	25.85	—0.14
15 Utilit.	23.08	22.55	22.97	+0.28
40 Bonds	—	—	88.34	—0.09
11 Commod.	—	—	49.64	—0.30

	June 29	30
Adams Express	7⅛	6⅞
Allegheny Ludlum Steel	14½	14¾
Allied Stores	7⅝	8
Allis Chalmers	31⅞	32
Amerada Corp.	61½	62½
Amer. Can	90½	94
Amer. & For. Power	2⅛	2⅛
" " $7 pfd.	16⅛	16¼
Amer. Gas & Elec.	33½	33¾
Amer. Locomotive	15½	15¾
Amer. Metal	28½	27⅝
Amer. Radiator	11¼	11½
Amer. Rolling Mill	11⅞	12¾
Amer. Smelting	38⅝	38¼
Amer. Sugar Refining	16¾	—
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	156¼	157¼
Amer. Tobacco "B"	82¾	83½
Amer. Waterworks	8½	8¾
Anaconda Copper	21½	22½
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	24½	25¼
Auburn	2	1¾
Baltimore & Ohio	4⅝	4½
Barber Asphalt Corp.	11⅝	11
Barnsdall Oil Co.	13	12¾
Bendix Aviation	20⅝	21⅛
Bethlehem Steel	51	51⅞
Bliss (E.W.)	8⅛	8⅛
Boeing Airplane Co.	17⅞	19
Borg Warner	21½	21⅝
Briggs Mfg. Co.	18⅛	18¼
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11⅛	11¼
" $6 cum. pfd.	38½	38¾
Can. Pacific Rly.	4	3⅞
Case, J.I.	72	71
Celanese Corp.	20¾	20⅞
Chase Nat. Bank	B 31¾	B 31½
Chesapeake & Ohio	30⅞	30¾
Chrysler	66⅜	67⅝
Columbia Gas & Elec.	5⅝	5½
" 6% "A" pfd.	B 83¼	B 83¼
Coml. Credit	43¾	43⅜
Comm. & Southern	1¼	1¼
" $6 cum. pfd.	59	60
Consolid. Edison	29⅜	29¼
Consolid. Oil	7½	7⅝
Continental Can	34¾	35½
Continental Oil	20¾	20⅝
Corn Products	62¼	61¼
Curtiss Wright (com.)	4⅛	4⅞
" " "A"	*23	24
Deere & Co.	18	18⅛
Distillers Corp.	17	17
Douglas Aircraft	63½	65¾
Du Pont de Nemours	145⅛	147
Eagle Picher Lead	8	7¾
Eaton Manufacturing Co.	20½	20¼
Elec. Auto Lite	28⅛	29
Elec. Bond & Share	6⅞	7⅛
" " $5 pfd.	—	53¼
" " $6 pfd.	62	62
Elec. Pwr. & Lt.	22½	22½
Flintkote	17½	17¾
Food Machinery Corp.	27½	27½
Gen. Amer. Trans.	45¾	45⅝
Gen. Elec.	32⅜	32½
Gen. Motors	41	41⅝
Gen. Rly. Signal	15	B 14½
Gen. Tire & Rubber	19⅝	19¾
Glidden Co.	15⅜	15⅛
Goodrich (B.F.)	15¾	15¾
" $5 pfd.	65	64¾
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	24¾	25⅛
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	14¼	13½
Great Nthrn. Rly.	19¼	19⅜
Great Western Sugar	24¾	24½
Greyhound Corp.	16⅞	16⅞
Hecker Products	11¾	11½
Homestake Min.	62	62½
Indus. Rayon	20½	20¾
Int. Harvester	54	53⅞
Int. Nickel	45¾	45¾
Int. Te. & Tel.	6⅛	6
Johns Manville	68	66¾
Jones & Laughlin	B 40	B 37
Kennecott	30¾	31⅛
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	43⅝	44½
Lockheed Aircraft	24½	24½
Loew's Inc.	41	40⅞
Manhattan Shirt Co.	—	11⅞
Martin, Glenn L.	30¼	31⅛
McKesson & Robbins	B 13	B 13¼
Monsanto Chemical	96½	95
Montgomery Ward	47½	48
Nat. City Bank	B 24¼	B 24½
Nat. Dairy Products	14⅜	14½
Nat. Distillers	24⅞	25
Nat. Gypsum	9⅝	9¾
Nat. Lead	18½	18
Nat. Power & Lt.	7½	7½
Nat. Steel Corp.	55	53½
Nat. Supply Co.	7	7
New York Central	12⅝	13⅛
Niagara Hudson Power	6⅛	6⅛
North Amer. Aviation	14¼	14¼
North Amer. Co.	20¾	20⅝
Northern Pacific	7¼	7⅜
Pacific Gas & Elec.	*29½	30¼
Pacific Lighting	45⅛	45⅝
Packard Motors	3⅛	3
Paramount Pictures Inc.	8	8
Pennsylvania R.R.	16	16¼
Phelps Dodge	31½	32
Phillips Petroleum	32	32
Public Serv. of N.J.	36⅜	36⅝
Pullman, Inc.	24¼	24¼
Pure Oil	7	6¾
Radio Corp. of Amer.	5½	5⅜
Republic Steel Co.	13⅜	13⅝
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	38¼	38¾
Richfield Corp.	7	7⅛
Safeway Stores	38½	39
Schenley	11½	11⅛
" 5½%	71⅛	—
Sears Roebuck	73⅞	74⅛
Seversky Aircraft	3¼	3½
Shell Union Oil	10⅛	10⅜
Socony-Vacuum	11¼	11¼
Sthrn. Pacific	11¼	11½
Sthrn. Rly.	19⅛	19¼
Sperry Corp.	39	39½
Stand. Brands	6¼	6¼
Stand. Gas & Elec.	2½	2½
Stand. Oil of Calif.	25⅛	26
Stand. Oil of N.J.	40⅜	40¾
Stone & Webster	9⅝	9¾
Swift International	25	24⅞
Technicolor	15	15
Texas Corp.	35	35½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	27½	26⅝
Transamerica	5⅝	5½
Tw. Century Fox	18¼	18¼
" " pfd.	—	30
Un. Carbide & Carbon	72½	71¾
Un. Pacific	90½	90½
Un. Aircraft	34¼	34¾
Un. Air Lines	10⅛	10
Un. Corp.	2¼	2¼
" $3 cum. pfd.	33⅜	34
Un. Gas Corp.	1¾	1¾
Un. Gas Improvement	12½	12⅜
U. S. Rubber	38⅛	38¾
" 8% pfd.	103	102
U. S. Steel	43⅞	44½
Vanadium	18⅛	18½
Warner Bros. Picts.	4¼	4⅛
Westinghouse Elec.	92	94
Woodward Iron	15¼	15⅛
BONDS		
Amer. & For. Power	57	58½
Brazil	13½	13¼
Baltimore & Ohio	17½	17½
Cities Serv.	81	81½
Erie R.R.	8⅝	7¾
Int. Tel. & Tel.	62¼	60¾
Minas Geraes	B 8½	9½
New England Gas & Elec.	66	64¾
Peru	8½	8⅜
Rio Grande do Sul	B 8¾	B 8¾
Sao Paulo	A 9	B 7¼
Sthrn. Pacific Co.	40¾	40
Stand. Gas & Elec.	B 63	60

A—Asked. B—Bid.
*Ex dividend.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Irregular but quiet conditions prevailed on the Stock Exchange today. Prices improved near the close, which was ascribed to the Washington legislative activity and quieter European news. Motors gained on the weekly production report, the decline being below anticipations. Mercantiles moved up on growing retail reports.

Car Production in Canada And U.S.A.

New York, June 30.

A reduction in the number of cars and trucks produced in the United States and Canada during the week ended June 30 was recorded according to Ward's estimate of production.

During the period under review, cars and trucks produced totalled 70,663 units, compared with 81,070 units during the previous week and 40,945 units for the corresponding period of last year.—Reuter.

Share Dealer's New By-Laws

Based on Draft Rules of B.O.T.; Association is to Apply for Recognition

The Association of Stock and Share Dealers on June 9 passed new by-laws based on the draft rules issued by the Board of Trade to regulate the business of licensed dealers in securities. This step was taken in order to strengthen the Association's request for recognition as a body of dealers by the Board of Trade, states the "Finanical News."

Mr. R. Sefton Turner, chairman of the Association, stated that the Board of Trade would shortly announce the day on which the new regulations will come into force. It is expected that this will be towards the end of the year—either November or December.

He added that the Board of Trade would also publish shortly a list of the stock exchanges and associations that had been recognized, and he emphasized the desirability of the association being included in that list.

Request for Clarification

A number of points were raised by members, must of which were connected with Clause 9 of the new by-laws, which prohibits dealers from dealing with investors except at the latter's request. This, it was felt, would restrict legitimate business.

In general, the criticism of this clause was based on the need for some clarification—a need emphasized by The Financial News" on June 3—and Mr. Sefton Turner intimated that he would do his best to obtain it.

As it reads at the moment, this clause states that a member shall not, during or as a consequence of a call upon any person—this includes a telephone call—deal in securities unless his call is at the person's request and unless he furnishes the person with a written statement containing particulars of the company if it is not dealt in on any stock exchange, or stating the exchange on which it is dealt in.

Moreover, the clause states that a call shall not be deemed to have been at the request of a person if the request was made as a result of a circular or other unsolicited communication.

The main criticism was that if a client telephoned as a result of a circular, an illegal deal might unwittingy be made on a busy day.

Accidental Infringement

Mr. Sefton Turner pointed out that he felt sure the Board of Trade would adopt a reasonably wide interpretation of the regulations and would take into consideration all the relevant factors which would cover an accidental infringement.

On the ruling that the regulations do not apply to persons with whom business has been transacted at least three times in seven years. Mr. Sefton Turner emphasized that there was no prospect of any modification of this section.

He pointed out that the Board of Trade's idea was to restrict abuse of the advantage outside brokers possessed in being able to circularize and advertise. In the original form the restrictions were much more stringent. He stated, however, that the regulations did not cover bidding for shares.

At the close of the meeting, Mr. Sefton Turner stated that a letter applying for recognition would be sent to the Board of Trade by the Association. He added that the Association already had over 100 applications for copies of the by-laws from prospective members.

New York Market Irregular

New York, June 30.

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange closed irregular today after a quiet session in which the market improved near the close. The late rise was believed to have resulted from legislative activity in Washington and a more optimistic outlook in Europe.

With a long weekend approaching few traders were willing to expand their positions.

Favourable market factors today included:

1. Retail trade has made the best yearly gain since 1937.
2. The record copper demand abroad.
3. The May improvement in manufacturers' business virtually erased the April decline.

Among the unfavourable factors were these:

1. The European situation.
2. The decline in automobile production.
3. A possible strike in the General Motors plants among tool and die workers.—United Press.

Movements of Silver in The United Kingdom

London, June 30.

Movements of silver in the United Kingdom, during the week ended June 28, resulted in an excess of exports over imports of £67,000 compared with net exports totalling £132,000 during the previous week. Exports of the white metal from the United Kingdom during the period under review totalled £215,000, including shipments valued at £136,000 to the United States, £30,000 to British India and £26,000 to Germany. Exports during the previous week totalled £261,000, including shipments of £216,000 to the United States and £27,000 to Egypt.

Coming from various sources, imports of silver for the same period amounted to £148,000 including £107,000 from Japan. Imports for last week summed up to £120,000 including £53,000 from British India, £21,000 from Belgium and £21,000 from Hongkong.—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, June 30.

The share market was depressed today, the opening quotations for 25 issues being lower than the closing quotations on the previous day. Ilse Bergbau and Siemens each dropped 1.5 per cent. to 124 and 184.5 respectively. On the other hand, Deutsche Erdoel rose 1.25 to 114.25 and Kalichemie 1.65 to 124.75. The stock exchange closed in an atmosphere of slight depression.

Call money stood at 3—3¼ per cent.—Trans-Ocean.

New York Weekly Cotton Statistics

New York, June 30.

According to statistics compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange for the week ended June 30, supplies of cotton brought into sight for the season totalled 9,280,000 bales, showing an increase of 81,000 bales over last week, and a decrease of 4,191,000 bales from the corresponding week of last year.

Forwardings to United States mills for the season reached 5,972,000 bales, showing increases over the figures for last week and the corresponding week in 1938 of 99,000 and 605,000 bales, respectively.

Exports from United States ports since September 1, 1938 totalled 3,441,000, an increase of 31,000 bales over the previous week's level, and a decrease 2,301,000 bales from that of the corresponding week of last year. These exports included: 887,000 bales to Japan, 76,700 bales to China Proper, 1,200 bales to Manchoukuo and Dairen, 17,600 bales to French Indo-China, 464,000 bales to Great Britain and 456,000 bales to Germany.

Stocks in United States ports and interior towns were estimated at 4,440,000 bales, representing a contraction of 48,000 bales compared with last week, and a decrease of 124,000 bales compared with the corresponding period of last year.

The world's visible supply was placed at 7,287,000 bales, compared with 7,373,000 bales during the previous week and 8,024,000 bales during the same week in 1938. American contributions amounted to 4,982,000 bales.

American cotton forwarded to mills of the world since August 1, 1938 (excluding linters) touched the level of 9,933,000 bales, showing an increase of 149,000 bales compared with the previous week, but a decrease of 506,000 bales from the same week in 1938.—Reuter.

Statement of Exchange Equalization Account

London, June 30.

The twice yearly Treasury statement of gold held in the Exchange Equalization Account shows that on March 31 the Account held 49,490,000 fine ounces and the Issue Department of the Bank of England 30,459,000 ounces. At £7/8/6 an ounce, the total represents about £594,000,000.

At the same date, the account did not hold more than a relatively small amount of foreign currency.

The prices of gold, which was taken at £7 per ounce in previous statements, is taken at £7/8/6d in the present statement, in consequence of the change introduced in the method of valuing the Bank of England's gold by the Currency and Bank Notes Act of 1939.

On September 30, 1938, the previous date for which the total of combined gold holdings was disclosed, the holding was 98,528,000 ounces valued at £7 an ounce.—Reuter.

British Rubber Stocks

London, June 30.

The average of market forecasts of this week's stocks of rubber in London and Liverpool, compared with last week's official figure, show a decrease of 400 tons and an increase of 550 tons, respectively.—Reuter.

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Japan Trade Favourable

Tokyo, July 1.

For the first time in 24 years Japan's foreign trade for the first half of the year recorded a large surplus of exports over imports, according to official figures released today by the Finance Ministry.

Overseas trade from January to June registered an excess of exports over imports of Y. 25,000,000, compared with a surplus of imports over exports amounting to Y. 195,000,000 during the same period of last year.

Imports during the last 10 days of June amounted to Y. 97,000,000 while exports totalled Y. 133,000,000, resulting in a favourable balance of Y. 36,000,000.

Imports from January to June totalled Y. 1,590,211,000 an increase of seven per cent, or Y. 107,000,000, over the same period last year. Exports valued at Y. 1,615,526,000 registered an increase of 25 per cent, or Y. 338,000,000, making an excess of exports amounting to Y. 25,000,000.

Heretofore the first half of the year has been regarded as an "import season" in the Japanese commercial calendar, while the latter half of the year has been the "export season."—Domei.

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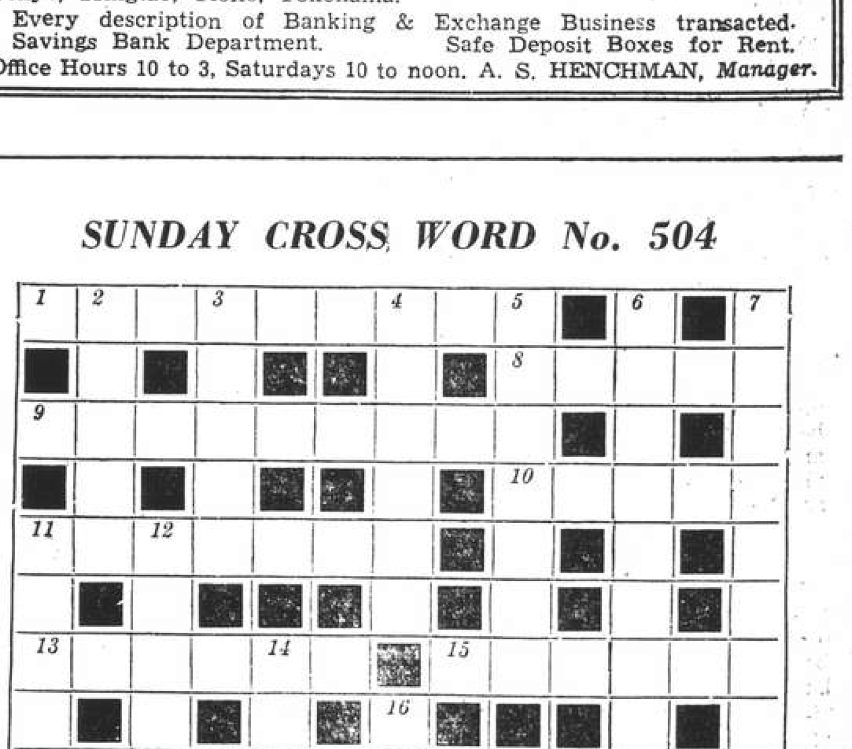

ACROSS

1 Niggardliness is mainly an ecclesiastical crime
8 I'm short of pelf to urge forward
9 Clue a goat in the list
10 National emblems
11 Change the arrangement according to the dumb
13 No, not quite flame colour
15 Showed great affection for a short announcement or a short pressman
17 Uniformly
20 Here's a lofty letter to correspond
21 Incautious in spite of my claim to be otherwise
22 Source of a skin corrugation
23 It's not reserved for inexperienced actors

DOWN

2 Conscious of internal strife
3 Winged buzzers
4 Georgie-Porgie's carousals
5 Gave it up
6 Lasting but a short time but ample here you'll find
7 In a happy manner
11 It's no out of the ordinary quarrel one sees in the courts
12 A revolting act, this
14 Having confidence in a cereal-fish mixture
16 Where the head-hunters worship?
18 One gets shot behind this tree in Hampshire
19 Nothing more than heather in a manner of speaking

The solution will be published tomorrow

Soviet Envoy Sees U.S. President

Long Consultations Believed to Be Over European Situation

Washington, June 30.

M. Constantine A. Oumansky, Soviet Ambassador to Washington, today conferred with President Roosevelt at the White House for thirty minutes and informed the President that he was sailing on Wednesday for a vacation lasting between six to eight weeks in Russia.

This was the Russian Ambassador's first long talk with the President since he presented his credentials and the President apparently was keenly interested in the conference for he extended the conversations fifteen minutes beyond the announced time.

M. Oumansky refused to comment on his conversation with the President, but political observers believed the talks to have been of a general political and international character similar to the conference held yesterday between the Russian Ambassador and Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State.

There were indications in Government quarters here at present that Administration officials were intensely interested in relations between the Soviet Union and the United States in view of the Soviet's profound influence on the trend of future events in both Europe and the Far East.

M. Oumansky, it was obvious, desired to take intimate and first hand views of the United States Government to Moscow.

European Issues Reviewed

Although the Russian Ambassador said yesterday his call on Mr. Hull was a courtesy visit, newspaper correspondents attached significance to the visit because he was closeted with Mr. Hull for 55 minutes.

It was widely speculated that the Soviet Ambassador and Mr. Hull reviewed recent developments in Europe, with particular emphasis to the Oriental events in their long conversation.

Mr. Oumansky, it was believed, was particularly desirious of obtaining definite information regarding the continuance of traditional United States policies in the Orient.

Political observers surmised that Mr. Hull intimated that United States and Soviet diplomatic co-operation would tend to discourage aggression on any diplomatic front.

Government officials refused to comment on the meeting. Political observers, however, thought it possible that M. Oumansky's report to the Kremlin on the general views of the United States might play an important role in determining the Russian stand in Europe.—United Press.

U.S. Interest in New Trends in Reich

Carl Schurz Association Reception Held in Berlin

Berlin, July 1.

In the presence of the German Ambassador in Washington, Dr. Hans Dieckhoff, and numerous other leading German personalities, the Carl Schurz Association held a reception yesterday in honour of the director of the Hoover War Library at Leland Stanford University in California, Professor Ralph Haswell Lutz, and of the head of the German House at Columbia University in New York, Professor Frederick J. W. Heuser, who are now visiting Germany for the purpose of study.

The reception was also attended by Mr. Donald Heeth, Secretary of the United States Embassy, and by Mr. Noel Hudson of the United States Consulate General.

The Vice-Chairman of the association, Dr. Draeger, welcomed the American guests whose work, he said, had greatly helped to advance the association's aims.

Professor Lutz in reply expressed his gratitude for the cordial reception and said that the object of his visit was to collect material in books and periodicals relating to the development of New Germany. The speaker mentioned in this connection that the institute of which he was the director probably owned the largest collection of German literature to be found in the United States.

Professor Heuser, after reviewing the work accomplished at the German House attached to Columbia University, observed that it was the business of every nation to arrange its own affairs according to its desire and that other nations could render no decisive assistance in this respect.—Trans-Ocean.

OBITUARY

Sir Henry Stuart-Jones

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, June 30.

The death occurred here today of Sir Henry Stuart-Jones, famous classical scholar and lexicographer, at 72 years of age.

He was an Honorary Fellow of four Oxford and several other colleges. As Fellow of the British Academy, he represented that body at the Union Academique Internationale in 1922.

From 1920 until 1927, Sir Henry was Professor of Ancient History at Oxford. Three times he was appointed Public Examiner. From 1903 until 1905, he held the post of Director of the British School at Rome. He became a member of the German Imperial Archaeological Institute in 1904.

Sir Henry Stuart-Jones revised Liddell and Scott's Greek Lexicon in 1916, and was General Editor of the Catalogue of Ancient Sculpture in Roman municipal collections.

In his numerous publications, he dealt chiefly with classical history and art.—Reuter.

Mr. Paul Lauder

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 1.

The death was announced here today of Mr. Paul Lauder, former general manager of the Union Insurance Society of Canton.—Reuter.

Princess Olga Meets the Fuhrer

Princess Olga of Yugoslavia is here snapped as she chatted with Herr Hitler and Frau Goering during a reception given in Berlin to Prince Paul, her husband, during his recent visit to the Reich. Princess Olga is sister to the Duchess of Kent, and Prince Paul is Regent of Yugoslavia.

U.S. Relief Bill Finally Passed

Monetary Bill Passage Exacted as Price from Fillibustering Senate

Washington, July 1.

The Senate and House of Representatives approved and sent to President Roosevelt last night the $1,755,600,000 relief bill for the fiscal year beginning today after a political free-for-all in both houses had resulted in a keen battle between the Administration and the Republican minority.

The House later voted 241 to 159 to close debate on the monetary bill and proceed with a formal vote which indicated that the bill would be approved. Action was delayed again, however, when Mr. Clare E. Hoffman, Republican of Michigan gained the floor for an hour on a question of personal privilege which the speaker, Mr. William B. Bankhead, granted.

The House voted 321 to 23 in approving the compromise relief bill which was rushed to the Senate and approved in record time. The bill carries funds to provide jobs for 2,000,000 relief workers throughout the next fiscal year.

Bargain Over Money Bill

Republicans in the House resorted to delaying tactics in an effort to prevent a squeeze play which the Administration was seeking to invoke in the Senate. The Administration hope to hold the relief bill until the Senate had passed the monetary bill. Administration leaders threatened to defeat the relief bill in the House if the Senate did not first approve the monetary bill. They said the Republicans then would be blamed for failing to provide relief funds if the bill was killed by the Administration in the House.

The Republicans resorted to delaying tactics in the House, demanding many quorum calls and leaving the Chamber as soon as a quorum was obtained, thereby necessitating a new quorum call.

Finally Mr. Andrew Somers, Democrat of New York, moved to close the debate and begin the roll call on the monetary bill.

President Hits Senate

President Roosevelt blasted the Senate in a statement to the press yesterday and said the country could react against the Senate fillibuster and any attempt to kill the Administration's monetary bill.

Meanwhile, the White House disclosed that President Roosevelt yesterday signed the revised tax bill and the departments of State, Justice and Commerce appropriation bill which carried a special $300,000 fund to finance the Federal Bureau of investigation's new drive against foreign espionage activities in the United States.—United Press.

Extra Air Force Credits

Washington, June 30.

While the bigger neutrality and silver issues held the spotlight, the Senate proceeded today to approve a project authorizing extraordinary credits of $223,440,000 for expansion of the American military air force. The Bill is now to be sent to President Roosevelt for his signature, when it will become a law as it has already passed the House of Representatives.—Havas.

Currency Powers Lapse

Washington, July 1.

Owing to filibustering tactics by members of the Opposition in the Senate, the President's powers to Devaluate the Dollar expired at midnight today, without any division intervening on their renewal. The Administration will now have to submit a new Bill for approval both to the House of Representatives and the Senate.

When the Senate convened this afternoon, Senator Millard E. Tydings, Democrat for Maryland, took the floor speaking against time and lengthily outlined the reasons of his opposition to the financial policy being followed by the White House. He was succeeded at the rostrum by Senator Robert A. Taft, Republican for Ohio, who spoke till after midnight.

As result of these dilatory tactics, the situation stands now as follows:

1. The President's powers to regulate the value of the national currency have expired;
2. The Stabilization fund, which amounts to $2 billion, has no more legal existence;
3. No price is set for purchases of foreign-mined silver and these purchases will be effected from now on at the rates of the world market. However the provisions of the Silver Act of 1934 remain valid and the U.S. Treasury remains empowered to buy silver according to its necessities.—Havas.

Count Ciano to Visit Spain

Madrid, June 30.

Paying an official visit to Spain, Count Galeazzo Ciano, Italian Foreign Minister, would arrive by air in Barcelona on July 10, it was announced today. He would meet Spanish Government leaders during his stay, and the conferences would probably take place at San Sebastian, it was reported.—Havas.

Do You Know? Answers

QUESTIONS ON PAGE 2

1 Alexander the Great

2 (a) Water
(b) Laughing gas
(c) Sulphuric Acid
(d) Common salt
(e) Chalk
(f) Vinegar

3 The name of a Genoese nobleman; a libertine in Rowe's "The Fair Penitent" (1703).

4 (a) Sir Rutherford Alcock, consul at Foochow, Shanghai and Canton in the early 19th century; later became Minister to China.
(b) William Jones Boone, one of the first missionaries to China of the Protestant Episcopal Church in America; worked in Shanghai from 1845.
(c) Walter Henry Medhurst, son of Dr. Medhurst, the missionary. Consul at Shanghai from 1870.
(d) Frederick Ward, creator of the Ever-victorious Army; buried at Sungkiang at his own request.
(e) William Woodville Rockhill, American Minister at Peking from 1905 to 1909. Later was appointed personal adviser to Yuan Shih-kai.
(f) Young John Allen, American missionary of the Methodist Episcopal (South) Church. Edited the Wan Kuo Kung Pao, a publication of the Christian Literature Society.

5 Pure gold weighs 1,204 pounds per cubic foot.

6 Will M. Carleton in "Over the Hill to the Poorhouse."

MARKET PRICES

The following prices, effective in the Western District on June 29, are quoted in cents per lb. except when marked E each, D dozen, B bunch.

BEEF	
Sirloin Roast	60
Rib Roast	50
Rump Steak	58
Fillet Steak	95
Topside Steak	48
Silverside	45
Brisket	32
Shin	28
Stewing	45
Soup Meat	30
Suet	40
MUTTON	
Gigot	50
Saddle	45
Loin Chops	45
Shoulder	35
Flank	30
Neck	28
PORK	
Leg	35
Loin	35
Loin Chop	43
Shoulder	40
Lard	35
VEAL	
Leg	75
Steak	1.10
Cutlets	80
Stewing	60
Buffalo	33
Goat	40
PREPARED MEAT	
Bacon	70
Brisket	48
Silverside	48
Round	48
Ham	90
Ham, Chinese	64
Salted Pork	49
FRESH FISH	
Bream	35
Black Head	33
Carp	28
Cod, Ningpo	33
Cod, Shanghai	28
Crabs	55
Cuttle	15
Eel	48
Halibut	28
Herring	55
Lobster	1.30
Mackerel	33
Mandarin	55
Pomfret	33
Prawns	E 10
Ribbon	20
Salmon	38
Samli	70
Shrimps	55
Soles, Ningpo	33
Soles, S'hai	45
Whitebaite	33
Yellow	23
SALTED FISH	
Herring	10
Jelly	20
Ribbon	22
Yellow	16
Salmon	24
Crabs	20
GRAIN AND FLOUR	
Flour: A. 49 lb.	7.50
Can. 49 lb.	8.50
U.S. 49 lb.	8.00
S'hai 50 lb.	4.60
Rice 220 lb.	25.60
MILK	
Grade A T.T.	P 38
Grade A	P 36
Grade B	P 24

VEGETABLES	
Artichokes	E 08
Asparagus	70
Bamboo Shoots Dried	20
Beans French	15
Haricot	15
Kidney	20
Lima	20
Soya	20
Sprouts	10
White	20
Soaked	25
Beetroot	11
Cabbage	08
Salted	15
Carrots	12
Celery, Ch.	B 06
U.S.	1.00
Chilies	30
Cucumber	15
Egg-plant	20
Garlic	15
Ginger	15
Green Corn	E 06
Green Peas	30
Green Pepper	60
Horseradish	50
Kale	15
Koh-Bah	15
Kohlrabi	B 10
Leeks	B 06
Lettuce	E 20
Mint	20
Mushrooms	1.60
Onions, Amer.	20
small	30
spr.	B 08
Parsnips	15
Potatoes	07
Potatoes small	15
Potatoes Sweet	0.10
Pumpkin	10
Radish	B 02
Red cabbage	E 30
Rhuharb	15
Spinach	07
Squash	E 16
Thyme	2.00
Tomatoes	30
Turnips	06
Veg. marrow	10
Water Bamboo	15
Big marrow	10
Dill	B 06
POULTRY, EGGS	
Chicken, spr.	65
Duck	E 1.75
Duck, Wild	E 1.00
Egg (chick.)	D 72
Fowl	65
Goose	E 2.50
Pigeon	E 35
Quail	E 50
Rabbit	60
Snipe	E 23
Turkey	60
Woodcock	E 53
Duck	E 1.20
Egg (duck)	D 50
Goose	E 1.30
FRUIT	
Apricots	23
Bananas	11
Grapefruit	E 35
Lemons	E 20
Oranges, U.S.	D 1.20
Peaches	15
Plums	10
W. Melons (J.)	80
FODDER	
Barley 110 lb.	6.60
Bran 110 lb.	4.40

FUEL	
Best Anthracite .....metric ton	60.00
No. 1 House Coal .... ,,	52.00
No. 1 Kitchen Coal .. ,,	46.50
Firewood ....8 small bundles	1.00
Firewood ......15 small bundles	1.00
Charcoal 1st Quality ....27 lb.	1.60
Charcoal 2nd Quality ....40 lb.	1.90

More Employed in Britain

London, June 30.

Winding up the debate in the House of Commons today, on unemployment for the Government, the Minister of Labour, Mr. Ernest Brown, stated that the June returns, which would be published next week, would show an even greater improvement than the figures for May, which, with a total of 1,492,282 registered unemployed, showed a decline of 152,112 on April. Mr. Brown spoke optimistically of the prospects for industry in the next few months.—Wireless Through Reuter.

Japanese Threaten Action in Amoy

British Accused of Taking "Arrogant" Attitude; Only Two Demands Retained

Amoy, July 1.

Incensed by the "arrogant attitude" of British authorities which they claim precludes the possibility of an early settlement of the Kulangsu question by negotiations, Japanese naval, military and consular authorities here today were considering "independent action."

The British authorities were engaging in "machinations, stubbornly resisting the just Japanese demands and ignoring the conciliatory attitude of other foreigners in the International Settlement," Japanese authorities asserted.

"Arrogance" of the British was evidenced in their failure thus far to give any formal reply to a Japanese note, forwarded on June 29, suggesting that negotiations be resumed, Japanese authorities declared.

"Stubborn" Attitude

Although Mr. Goro Uchida, Japanese Consul-General, who returned from Tokyo recently with final instructions regarding future policy, has been directly and indirectly negotiating with the Kulangsu Municipal Council and the Consular Body, the British authorities have been displaying a "stubborn" attitude, according to Japanese authorities.

As proof of the conciliatory stand of the Japanese authorities heretofore, they pointed out today that they had gone so far as to inform representatives of the Powers that, if necessary, they were willing to wait until normal traffic was restored between Kulangsu and the mainland before insisting on acceptance of their demands for reorganization in the administrative system of the K. M. C.

By normal traffic conditions they meant those which prevailed prior to May 11. Recently movements of boats to the mainland have been restricted to prevent anti-Japanese agitators from gaining access to the Kulangsu Settlement.

Two Demands Insisted Upon

According to the final Japanese proposal, they insisted only upon the acceptance of the first and fifth points of the original demands; these dealt with control of anti-Japanese malcontents, and co-operation between Japanese police and K. M. C. police.

The Japanese authorities, it was disclosed, relinquished their original demand for the appointment of a Japanese Police Commissioner, and asked instead for the immediate appointments of a Japanese Assistant Commissioner and three Japanese constables.

The question of the appointment of ten Formosan constables was deferred for settlement until the next ratepayers' meeting.

The appointment of a Japanese Assistant Commissioner of Police has not yet been decided, Japanese authorities said today.

With the other points accepted by the K. M. C., this request for the appointment of an Assistant Commissioner could not be regarded as unreasonable in view of the financial condition of the K. M. C., Japanese authorities declared.—Domei.

Norwegian Ministers Resign

Oslo, June 30.

The Minister of Finance, M. Kornelius Bergsvik, and the Minister of Commerce, M. Alfred Madsen, resigned from the Cabinet today for personal reasons.

The Minister of Labour, M. O. Torp, will be transferred to the Ministry of Finance and the Minister of Justice, M. T. Lie, to the Ministry of Commerce. The President of the Odelsting, M. Stoester, has been appointed Minister of Labour and Judge Wold Minister of Justice. The resigned Minister of Finance, M. Bergsvik, has been appointed Prefect of the province of Telemark.—Trans-Ocean.

Post Office Notices

The following times apply to the Head Post Office, Szechuen Road Bridge, Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is needed.

	Per	Reg.	Ord.
SUNDAY, July 2.			
Tsingtao	Shantung	*20.00	9.15
Tsingtao	Hengshan M.	10.00	10.00
Nantung	Nantung M.	10.00	15.15
Japan Hlulu U.S.A. Canada Europe via Pacific	P. Cleveland	16.00	16.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Jukao	Liwo	16.00	16.00
MONDAY, July 3.			
Tsingtao	Anshing	9.30	10.00
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez Europe via Suez	Yasukuni M. A	14.00	16.00
Hongkong and Canton ...	Yasukuni M.	15.30	16.00
Hongkong and Aust. N.Z.	Temerlane BXY	15.30	16.00
TUESDAY, July 4.			
H'kong Canton Aust. N.Z. S.S. Ceylon India Suez Europe via Suez	Rawalpindi c	*20.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shuntien	*20.00	8.00
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Shuntien	7.30	8.00
Shacheng Swatow H'kong	Kwangtung	9.30	10.00
Wenchow via Shacheng ..	Kwangtung	9.30	10.00
Tsingtao	Leesang	9.30	10.00
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Taisang	9.30	10.00
Amoy and Hongkong	Tsinan	19.30	20.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for France, Gt. Britain and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 3rd.
B Parcel mail for S.S., F.M.S., Egypt, E-Soudan, Holland, Germany and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 3rd.
C Parcel mail for S.S., Gt. Britain and other countries, closes at 16.00 on 3rd.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service per ss. Yasukuni Maru, on July 3, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary, due Marseilles July 12, London July 13.

Pan American Airways Service per ss. Deucalion, on July 7, at 3 p.m. for registered and at 4 p.m. for ordinary due San Francisco July 19.

Air France per ss. Rawalpindi, July 3, at 8 p.m. for registered and July 4, 7.15 a.m. for ordinary, due Marseilles July 14, London July 15.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per steamer to Hongkong.

Royal Netherlands Indies' Airways K.N.I.L.M. (Saigon-Batavia-Sydney) per steamer to Hongkong.

Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service: daily at 8 p.m.

Domestic Air Mail

Nanking per Shanghai-Nanking Air Line at 12.00, at Yuhang Road Sub-Office at 11.30 a.m.

Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow per Shanghai-Hankow Air Line daily at 10.30 p.m.

Ningsia, Shensi, Szechwan, Yunnan, Kweichow, Hupeh (Shasi and west) and west to Hongkong for the Hongkong-Chungking plane.

Peiping, Tientsin, Tsinan, Tatung, Kalgan, Shanhaikwan, Tsingtao and Tungshan by the planes of the Chung Hua Air Transport Co. daily at 9.30 p.m.

Light Train Mail

Via N.S.R. 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Kiangpei Offices west and north of Jukao 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Hangchow 11.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

North Pinghan and Lunghai (east of Chenghsien) 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Wuhu, Hwaining, Kiukiang and Hankow 9.30 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:—

Pres. Cleveland, via Pacific, July 2, due London Aug. 2.

Yasukuni M., via Suez, July 3, due London Aug. 4.

Rawalpindi, via Suez, July 4, due London Aug. 5.

Weather, Time and Tide

Sunday, July 2, 1939 (16th day of 5th moon)	SICCAWEI June 30 16.00	June 30 21.00	July 1 4.00	July 1 9.00
Barometer inches	29.76	29.83	29.84	29.86
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.12	+0.10	+0.13	+0.10
at 32 F. (,, ,, 12 hrs.)	+0.05	+0.07	+0.08	+0.03
Wind (direction)	E	E	E	SE
,, (miles per hour)	8.7	6.8	9.3	12.4
Temperature (Fahr.)	83.3°	71.4°	70.9°	77.9°
Humidity %	59	94	91	82
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	5	0	3	7
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report June 30	Mean 1939	24 hrs. variation	66 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.76	+0.10	29.69
Temp. Min. 65.°7 Max. 86.°5	76.°1	+0.°5	76.°8
Total rainfall January to 1 midnight before last (inches)	17.76	—	22.18

Time and Tide	2/7	3/7	4/7	5/7	6/7
Sun rises at Shanghai ..	4.53	4.53	4.53	4.54	4.54
Sun sets at Shanghai	19.02	19.02	19.02	19.02	19.02
Moon rises at Shanghai ..	19.18	19.58	20.35	21.10	21.42
Moon sets at Shanghai ..	5.20	6.13	7.06	7.59	8.52
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18	10.45	11.17	11.40	12.26	12.57
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18	15.25	16.01	16.33	17.09	17.48
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18	12.25	12.55	13.25	13.55	14.48
Ht. above LLW. (feet) ..	10.60	10.65	11.04	11.15	10.45

Vessels Discharging

CHITRAL. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Chitral, from London and Ports, bringing Cargo ex steamer Margrethe, Copenhagen and steamer Mallard, from Havre.—This steamer is berthing at Nos. 11-12 Buoys and her general cargo will be landed at the Hongkew Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Hongkew Wharf on Friday, July 7, at 9 a.m., by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 2-7

IXION. From Vancouver arrived on June 30, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Free storage period expires on July 9, 1939. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Tuesday, July 4, at 10 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Agents. 3-7

BERTRAM RICKMERS. This steamer having arrived from Antwerp and Hamburg via Port Swettenham, Singapore, Manila, Hongkong, is now discharging her cargo at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Hunt's Wharf. Consignees are kindly requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their cargo. Damaged goods will be surveyed by our appointed surveyors on July 4th, at 9 a.m., Messrs. Tesdorpf, Hannig & Co. All claims against this steamer must be presented within fifteen days after vessels arrival, or they will not be recognized. No insurance effected. Rickmers-Linie, m.b.h., Hamburg, Zweigniederlassung Shanghai, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 83308. 3-7

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive to-day are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From MANILA: President Cleveland, with mail, due 1 p.m. Buoys 12-13. Passengers expected at Customs Jetty 2 p.m.

From YOKOHAMA: Rawalpindi, with mail, due 1 p.m. Buoys 11-12. Passengers expected at Customs Jetty 2.30 p.m.

From TIENTSIN: Shuntien, due p.m., French Bund. Nanchang, due a.m., B. & S. Pootung Wharf. Tsinan, due p.m., French Bund.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GDYNIA		
Menelaus	30/5	18/7
Eurylochus	17/6	7/8
Perseus	27/6	18/8
From COPENHAGEN		
Panama	1/5	15/7
India	3/6	3/8
From OSLO		
Tarn	20/5	16/7
Ningpo	27/5	17/7
Tricolor	17/6	14/8
From HAMBURG		
Oldenwald	22/4	3/7
Tricolor	29/6	14/8
Ramses	1/7	16/8
Perseus	1/7	18/8
From BREMEN		
Rheinland	16/5	3/7
Gneisenau	13/6	14/7
Burgenland	30/5	21/7
Oldenburg	13/6	3/8
Ramses	27/6	16/8
From ROTTERDAM		
Fulda	19/5	12/7
Oldenburg	22/6	3/8
Gaasterkerk	29/6	12/8
From ANTWERP		
Mosel	1/6	7/7
Glenroy	13/5	8/7
Marburg	3/6	9/7
Grootekerk	22/5	15/7
Denbighshire	27/5	22/7
Glenogle	27/5	25/7
Glenbeg	10/6	8/8
Gaasterkerk	19/6	12/8
Glenaffaric	24/6	19/8
From GLASGOW		
Memnon	20/5	8/7
Antenor	3/6	20/7
Ajax	17/6	3/8
Hector	1/7	17/8
From LIVERPOOL		
Eumaeus	20/5	6/7
Cyclops	3/6	17/7
Mentor	17/6	30/7
Ajax	24/6	3/8
Tantalus	1/7	13/8
From LONDON		
Hakone M.	26/5	3/7
Corfu	2/6	9/7
Burdwan	27/5	10/7
Fushimi M.	9/6	18/7
Canton	16/6	23/7
Somali	24/6	6/8
Cartage	30/6	6/8
Glenbeg	24/6	8/8
From MARSEILLES		
F. Roussel	9/6	7/7
Mar. Joffre	23/6	21/7
From TRIESTE		
C. Rosso	14/6	9/7
Cortellazzo	25/5	19/7
Fusijama	20/6	12/8
From PORT SAID		
Mosel	12/6	7/7
Marburg	11/6	9/7
Gneisenau	24/6	14/7
Glenogle	21/6	25/7
India	29/6	3/8
From SUEZ		
Fushimi M.	23/6	18/7
Menelaus	20/6	18/7
Denbighshire	22/6	22/7
From DJIBOUTI		
Mar. Joffre	30/6	21/7
From ADEN		
Canton	2/7	23/7
From KARACHI		
Fortunstella	13/6	6/7
From COLOMBO		
Cortellazzo	23/6	19/7
Antenor	2/7	20/7
Burgenland	3/7	21/7
From CALCUTTA		
Talma	15/6	10/7
Sirdhana	1/7	24/7
From PENANG		
Fulda	24/6	12/7
From SINGAPORE		
Glenroy	26/6	8/7
Corfu	30/6	9/7
Burdwan	1/7	10/7
Talma	29/6	10/7
Grootekerk	1/7	15/7
Ningpo	1/7	17/7
From SOERABAIA		
Tjitjalengka	23/6	10/7
Tjisalak	30/6	18/7
From MANILA		
Memnon	1/7	8/7
Eskbank	25/6	8/7
C. Rosso	3/7	9/7
Tjitjalengka	3/7	10/7
Nellore	1/7	10/7
From SAIGON		
F. Roussel	30/6	7/7
Tarn	3/7	16/7
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK		
Eskbank	6/5	8/7
H. Maersk	25/5	8/7
Silverwalnut	23/5	9/7
Tai Ping	31/5	16/7
Glaucus	31/5	19/7
Thurland C.	13/6	25/7
M. Maersk	10/6	26/7
Tweedbank	6/6	27/7
Robinhood	9/6	30/7
Silverlaurel	23/6	8/8
Lexa Maersk	24/6	9/8
Tai Pin Yang	30/6	12/8
C. of E'ville	18/6	13/8
Adrastus	28/6	19/8
From SAVANNAH		
Silverlaurel	26/6	8/8
Lexa Maersk	29/6	9/8
Adrastus	3/7	19/8
From LOS ANGELES		
H. Maersk	15/6	10/7
Tai Ping	17/6	16/7
P. Coolidge	26/6	18/7
Taiyo M.	26/6	24/7
Thurland C.	30/6	25/7
M. Maersk	1/7	26/7
From SAN FRANCISCO		
Silverwalnut	11/6	9/7
P. Coolidge	30/6	18/7
Glaucus	23/6	19/7
Taiyo M.	29/6	24/7
From VANCOUVER		
Emp. Asia	24/6	10/7
Titan	20/6	15/7
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		
From YOKOHAMA		
Deucalion	30/6	7/7
Yasukuni M.	2/7	10/7
Zuiderkerk	21/6	11/7
From KOBE		
Tamerlane	30/6	3/7
Chenonceaux	2/7	4/7
Africa	28/6	12/7
From NAGASAKI		
Nagasaki M.	3/7	4/7
From KEELUNG (Formosa)		
Tyosa M.	2/7	4/7

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From CAPETOWN		
Tegelberg	14/6	22/7
From MOMBASA		
Tegelberg	2/7	22/7
From MELBOURNE		
Nellore	3/6	10/7
From BRISBANE		
Nellore	16/6	10/7

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN		
Oldenwald	23/6	3/7
Tsingtao M.	1/7	3/7
Tjibadak	4/7	6/7
From TIENTSIN		
Yusang	30/6	3/7
Shengking	1/7	5/7
Kwaisang	1/7	6/7
Chengtu	2/7	6/7
Wosang	2/7	6/7
Hangsang	3/7	7/7
From HONGKONG		
Hakone M.	30/6	3/7
Rheinland	28/6	3/7
Kiungchow	30/6	4/7
Eumaeus	2/7	6/7
Yunnan	2/7	7/7
Taiseunhong	4/7	7/7
Soochow	4/7	8/7
Mingsang	6/7	9/7
Panama	30/6	15/7

Passenger Lists

ARRIVALS

Per **Fausang**, July 1, from **Tientsin and Ports:** Mr. Junus Zakarhan, Mr. & Mrs. Stekol, Mr. & Mrs. Glozoff, Mr. S. S. Lee, Mr. J. Laurence, Miss K. Razumoff.

DEPARTURES

Per **Kiangsu**, Amended July 1, for **Hongkong:** Mrs. B. Kan and two children, Father C. Braga, Mrs. Kan's Nurse, Dr. J. A. Bussisre, Miss K. Razumoss, for **Haiphong:** Miss E. H. Falck, Miss W. M. Penfold, Mr. & Mrs. Mc-Allister.

Per **Shantung**, July 2, for **Tsingtao:** Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Hipps, Mr. O. Hipps, Master J. Hipps, Miss Pflueger, Miss Simpson.

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

SHANTUNG July 2. TSINGTAO.—From French Bund on Sunday, July 2, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 2-7

SHUNTIEN July 4. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Tuesday, July 4, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 4-7

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

TAISANG July 4. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, July 4, at noon. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 4-7

YUNNAN July 7. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Friday, July 7, at 2 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 7-7

SHENGKING July 8. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Saturday, July 8, at 10 a.m. Calls at Tsingtao for passengers only. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 8-7

TAISEUNHONG July 9. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, July 9. For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 9-7

MINGSANG July 11. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, July 11, at 9 a.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 11-7

SOUTH CHINA COAST

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TSINAN July 5. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, July 5, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 4-7

YUSANG July 5. SWATOW, HONGKONG and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, July 5, at 1 p.m. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 5-7

CHENGTU July 7. HONGKONG.—Leaves on Friday, July 7, at 2 p.m. For freight apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 7-7

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CITY OF DERBY July 10. HAVRE, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW:—The Ellerman Line steamer City of Derby is due to sail for Harve, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow on July 10, 1939, daylight, Lacey & Cannan, Ltd. Telephone 12854 (3 lines). 10-7

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ZUIDERKERK July 12. (Loading on July 11.) ADEN, PORT SUDAN, PORT SAID, GENOA, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, AMSTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN. — The Holland East Asia Line s.s. Zuiderkerk sails from Shanghai on July 12. For passage and freight apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., General Agents, Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 11-7

LEVERKUSEN July 14. GENOA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—(Captain A. Bretschneider), on or about July 14, 1939. For freight and passage, please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Schanghai, 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 14-7

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Hakka M.	Tientsin	D.K.K.
Myogi M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Kwangtung	Hongkong	B.&S.
Shantung	Tsingtao	B.&S.
Kronviken	Tientsin	Union S.S.
Greystoke C.	Hongkong	Dodwell
Talien	Tsungming	Wan Woo
Taisang	Hongkong	Jardine
Shanghai M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Chingning M.	Tsungming	N.K.K.
Peter Maersk	Hongkong	Melchers
Chekiang M.	Tsungming	N.K.K.
Isabel Moller	C'wangtao	K.M.A.
Nantung M.	Nantung	N.K.K.
H. Tseangtah	Tientsin	T.C.C.
Kiangting	T'lungkong	Foo Hwa
Romolo	Liuho	V. Chieri
Sandro Sandri	C'yingsha	Tai Ping
Haikong	Hsinkong	Keh Lee
H. Kiangnan	Hupukow	S. Guenter
Ethel Moller	Saikonkow	Yat Shing
Karsten	Hsinikog	Chin Dah
Heini	T'lungkong	G.F.E.

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Nagisan M.	Jap.	M.B.K.
Karsten	Ger.	Chin Dah
Luise	Ger.	Keh Lee
Wusueh	Br.	B.&S.
Nagato M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Chingning M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Chekiang M.	Jap.	N.K.K
Romolo	Ital.	V. Chieri
H. Kiangnan	Ger.	S. Guenter
Liwo	Br.	Jardine
Patti	Ital.	V. Chieri
Liesel	Ger.	Chin Dah
Tatuta M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Wooling M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Teucer	Br.	B.&S.
Hunan	Br.	B.&S.
Kiangsu	Br.	B.&S.
Dahpu	Nor.	Jardine
Newchwang	Br.	B.&S.
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Mount Helmos	Gre.	Dodwell
Carlock	Br.	Union S.S.

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HIKAWA MARU ..... July 18

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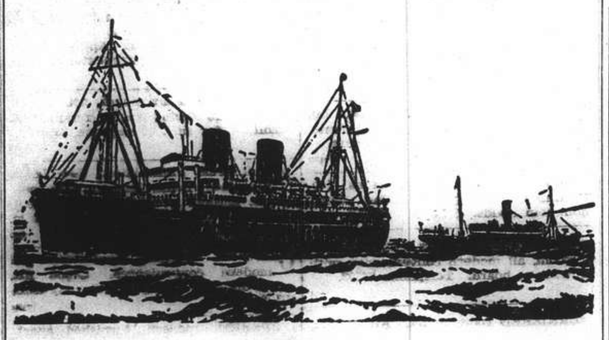

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July 7	July 10	July 12	Felix Roussel	July 15	July 17	July 18
July 21	July 24	July 26	MAREC. JOFFRE	July 29	July 31	Aug. 1
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ss. TSINGTAO MARU	July 11	July 13 at 9 a.m.
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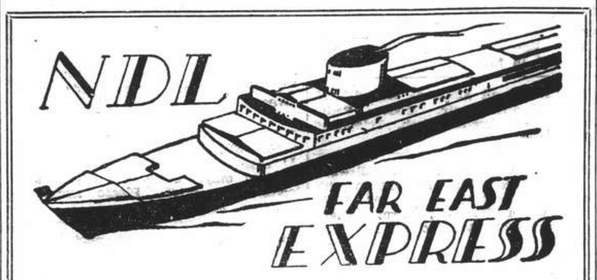

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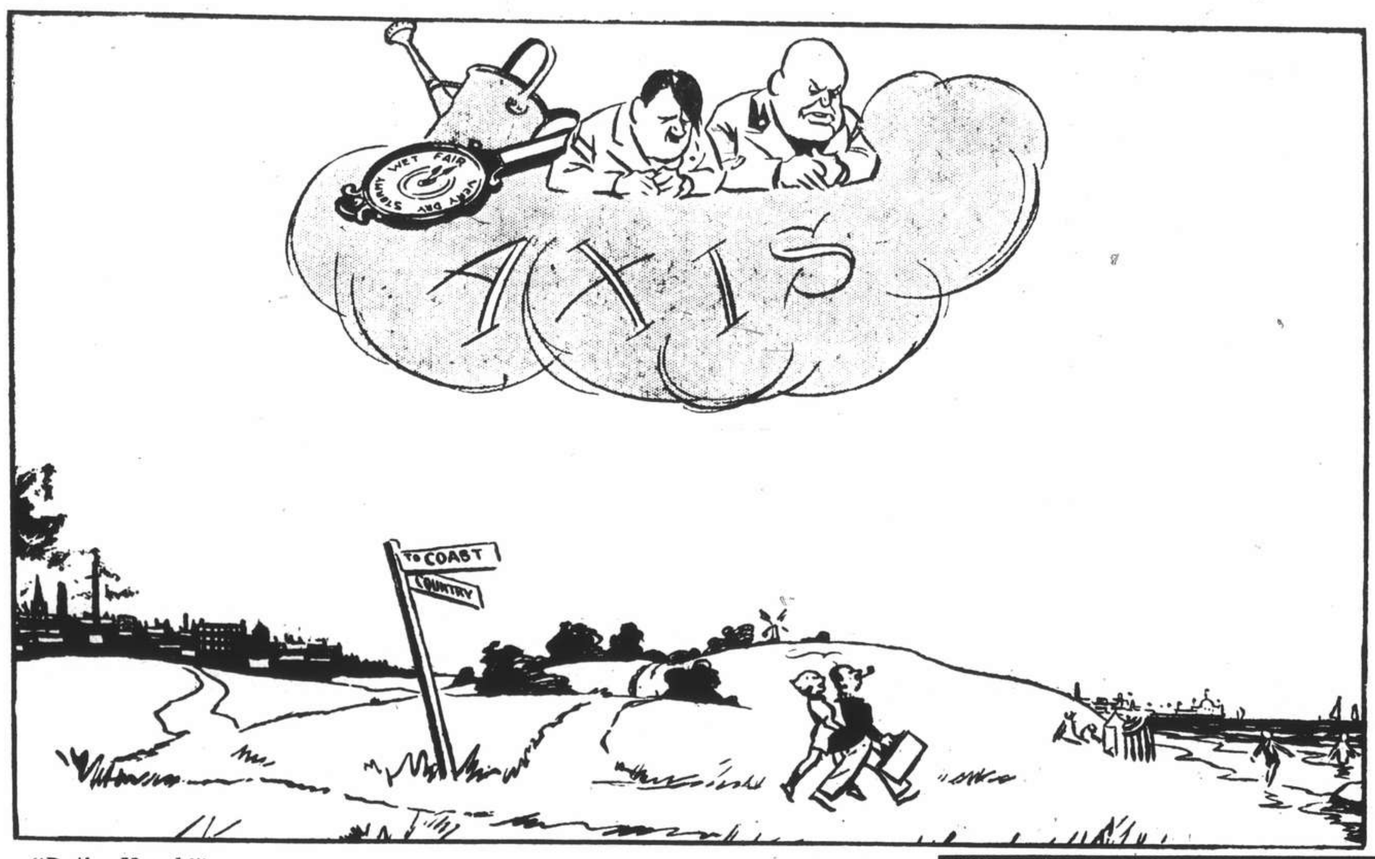
At T'ou Se We

Some of the beautifully executed pieces of religious statuary on display at the T'ou Se We Orphanage at Siccawei, where Chinese orphans are trained by the Jesuit Coadjutor Brothers to become expert craftsmen. Other photographs will be found on page 7.

The World's Wit and Humour



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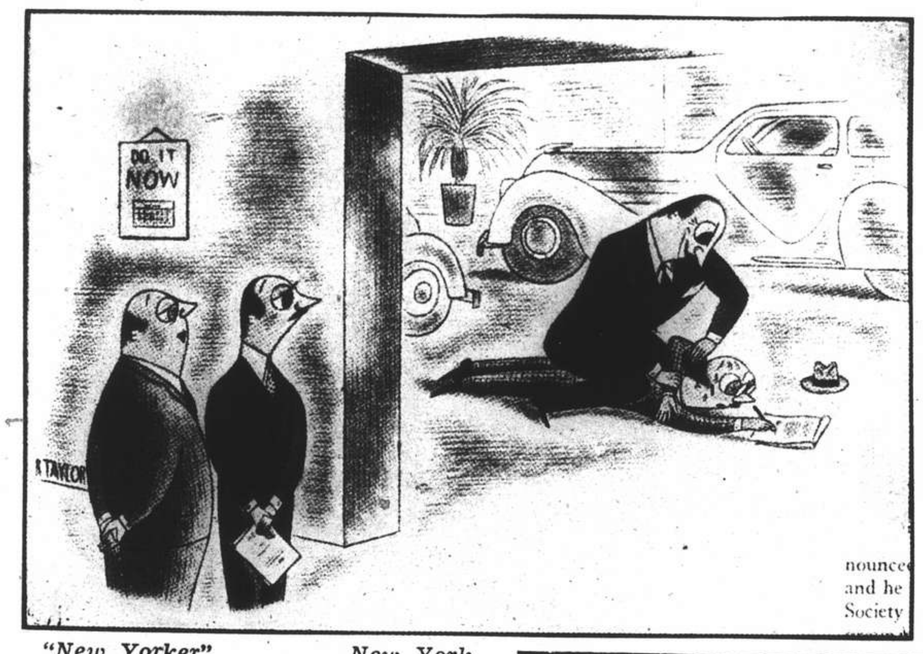

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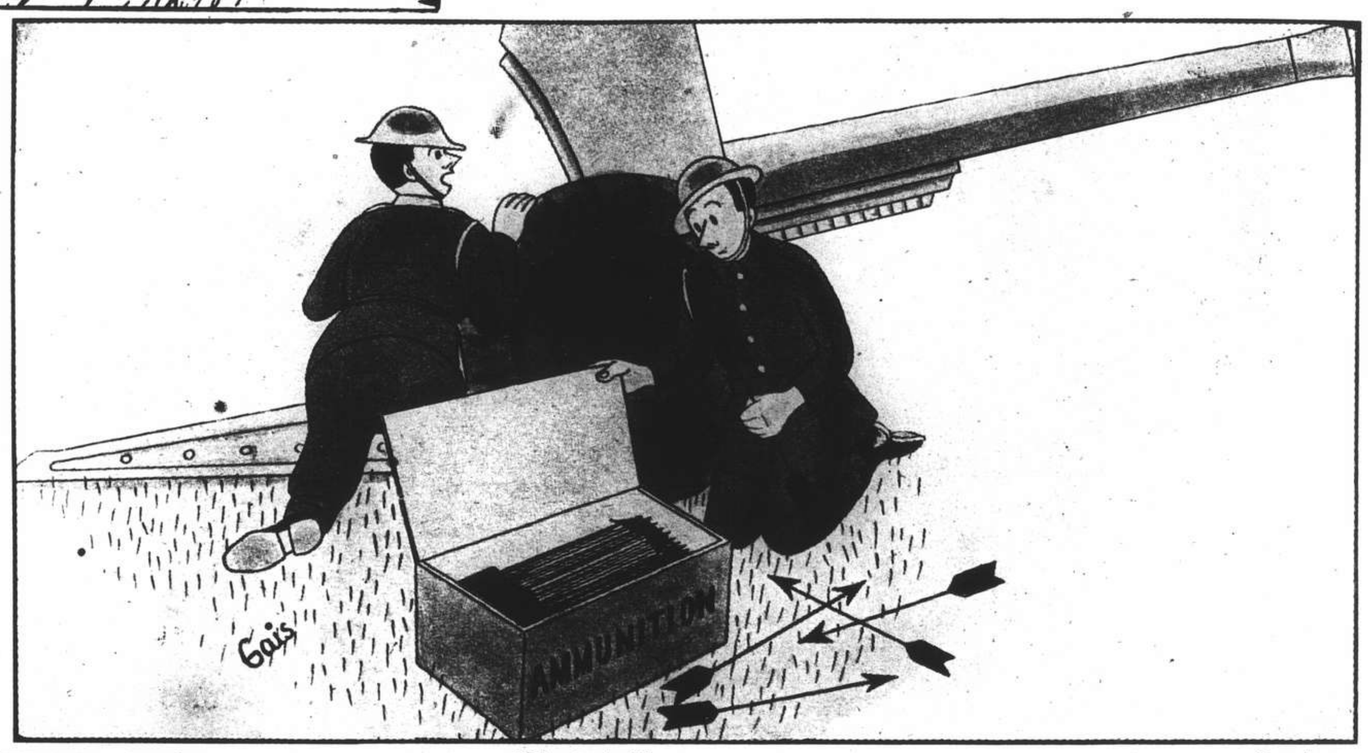

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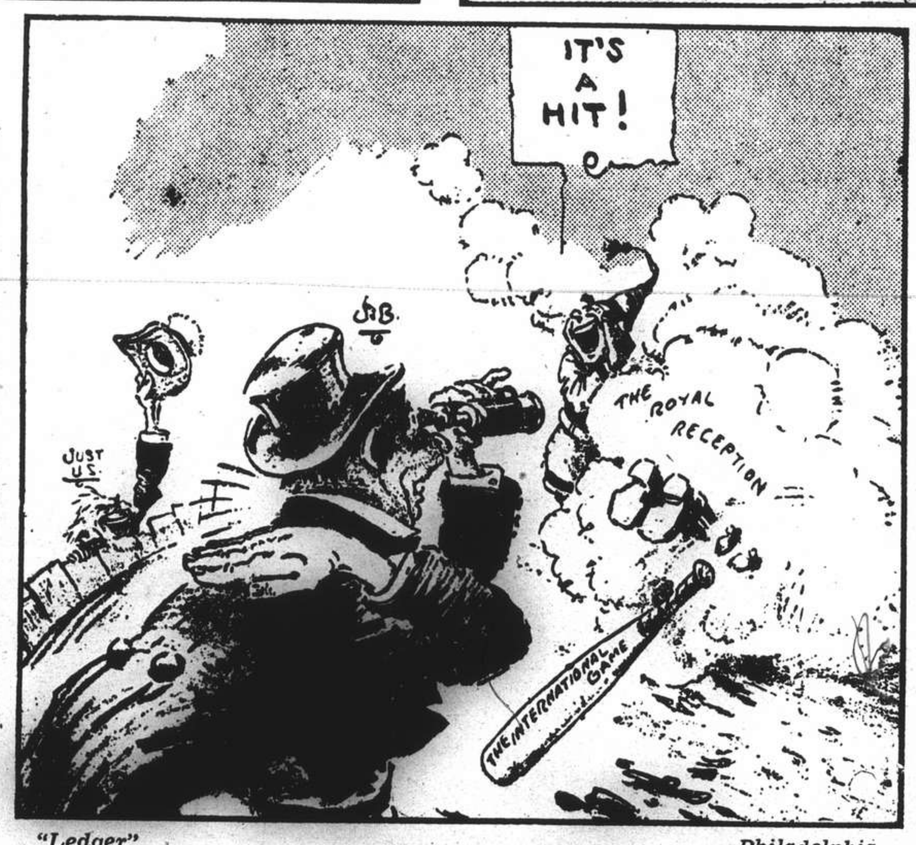

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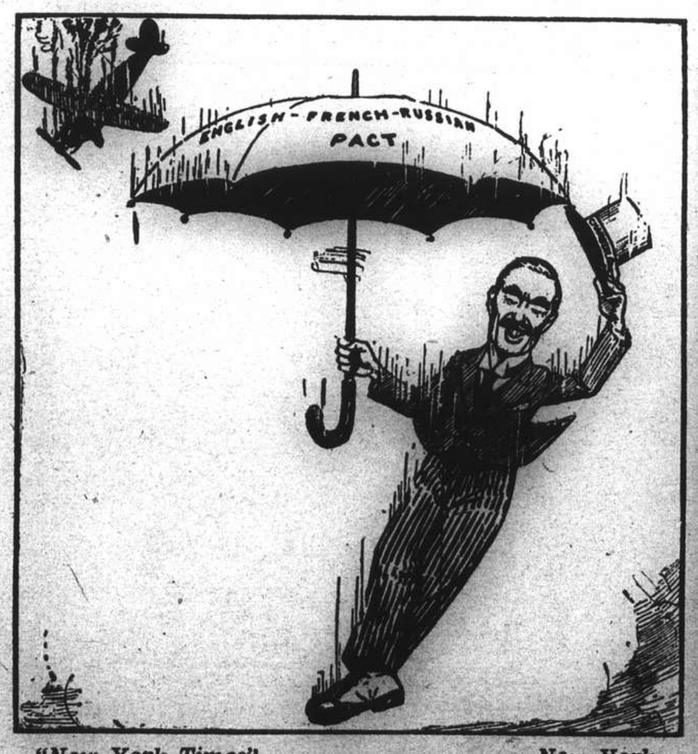

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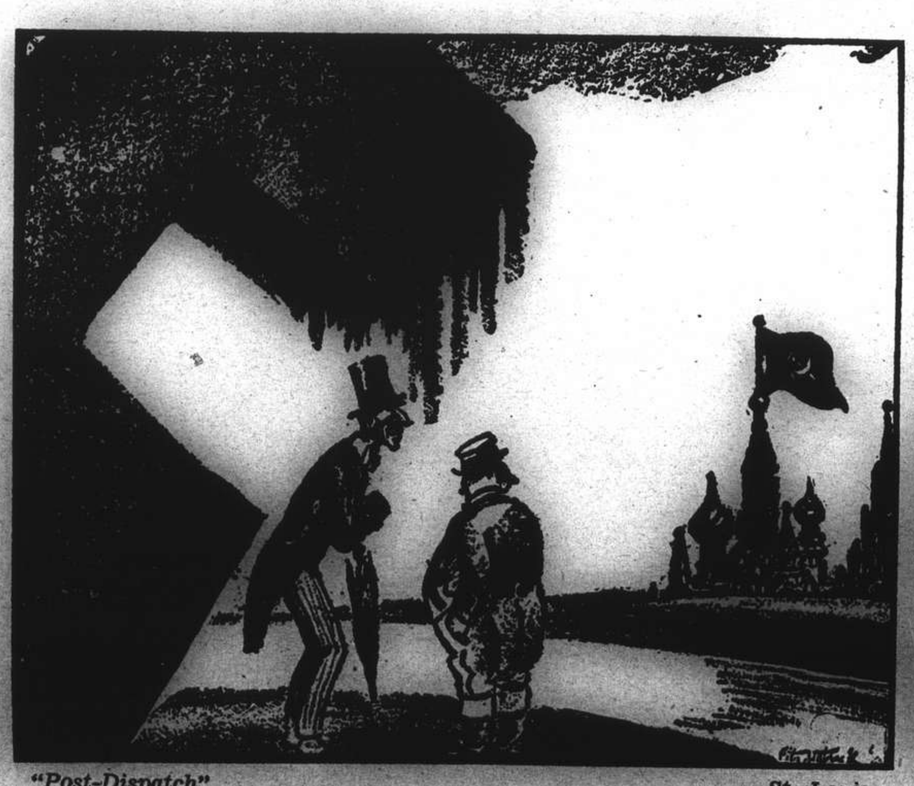

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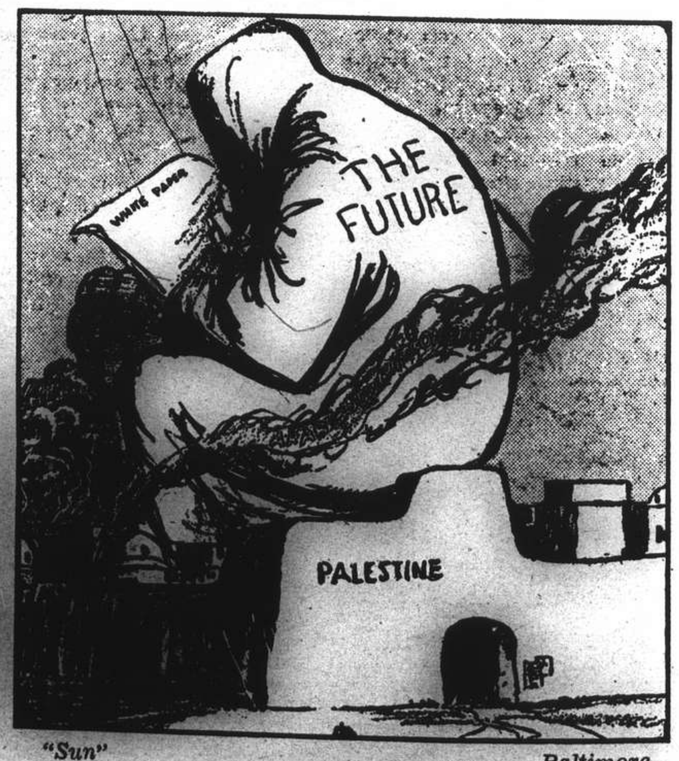


"Sun" Baltimore

"The Promised Land"

Cool Styles for Hot Days

June Lang (20th Century-Fox) on the left, wears a dark shirt with white linen shorts and a brightly-coloured bandanna over her locks—the ideal outfit for holiday resorts. On the right is Ann Rutherford (Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer) in one of the new form-fitting lastex swim suits, topped with a large rough straw hat. The last item is an important one to remember on holidays ; it prevents unbecoming sunburn on the face.

Sonja Henie (20th Century-Fox) trims the jacket of her suit with bright embroidery, matching binding and brass buttons.

Gale Page (Warner Bros.) wears this leisure hour outfit. Endless changes can be rung with new tops to the wide, comfortable skirt.

June Weddings: Other Events

ORME-COHEN WEDDING

Miss Clarice Josephine (Betty) Cohen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Cohen of Shanghai, became the bride of Capt. Denis Frederick Orme, East Surrey Regiment, at Holy Trinity Cathedral on June 24. The bride's sister, Mrs. Edna Holt, was matron of honour and the bridesmaids were Bridget Holt, Ann March, Elizabeth Joan Hamilton and Natalie Heyking. Capt. Clive O'N. Wallis was best man and four of the bridegroom's brother officers Messrs. A. C. Hill, E. A. L. Andrews, W. G. Gingell and B. A. Hannaford, were ushers with Dr. J. D. Riddell and Mr. R. J. E. Price.—*Nicholas, Bann's.*

An informal group in the garden of Mr. and Mrs. Pflug's home after the wedding of Mr. T. Kamuf and Miss I. Rosenthal which took place at the Church of Christ the King on June 24. *(L. to r.)* Miss G. Pflug, Mr. K. Tauber, Mr. and Mrs. T. Kamuf, Miss U. Paelz, Mr. G. Stoessel and Miss L. Schilke.—*Juras.*

AN OLD BOYS' DANCE

Among those seen at the dance given by ex-pupils of the Public and Thomas Hanbury School were *(left)* Mr. L. C. Healey, Miss Fryer, Mr. P. Crow, Mr. G. B. Fryer. *(above)* Miss B. Bernstein, Mr. J. P. Jones, Miss L. Knoch, Mr. G. Baukham and Mr. G. H. Laurence.—*N.C.D.N.*

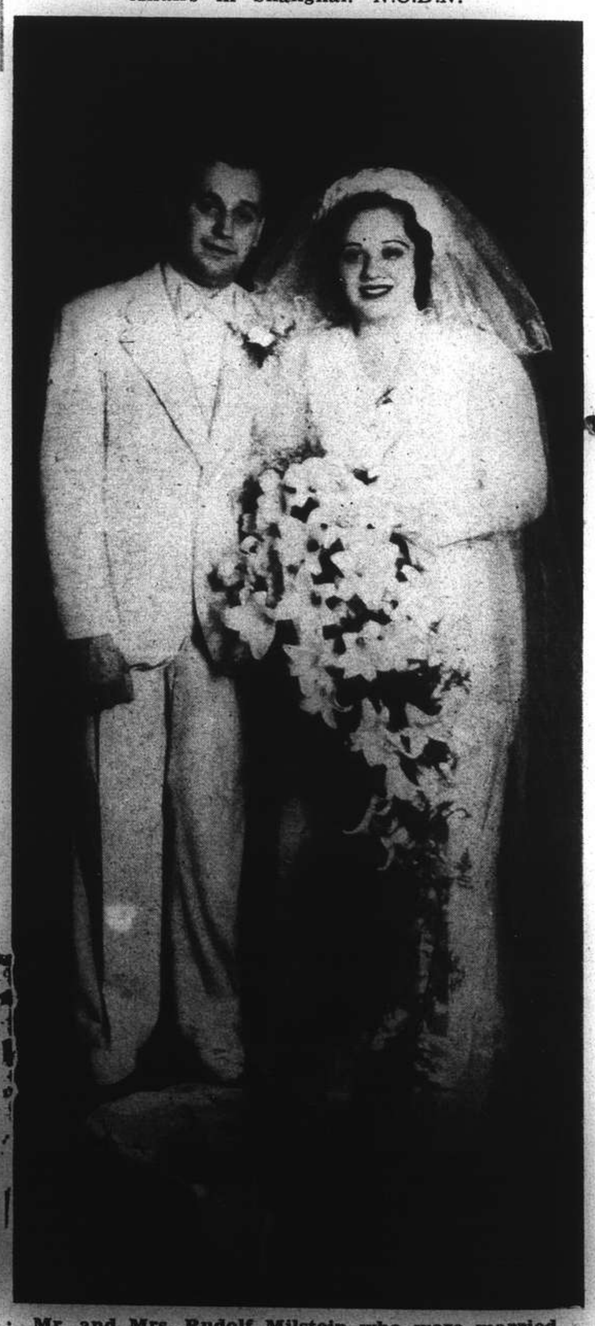
LATVIAN CELEBRATION

Lighting the tradition bonfire in honour of St. John's Day which was celebrated by the Latvian community on June 23. Looking on are Mr. E. Gigarson and Mr. J. Pure, Secretary for Latvian Affairs in Shanghai.—*N.C.D.N.*

BLOWN-AMBROSE WEDDING

Another June wedding was that of Mr. Geoffrey William Blown and Miss Winifred Ambrose which took place at Holy Trinity Cathedral on June 28. The picture on the left shows the bridal party at the Cathedral after the ceremony, and above, the bride and bridegroom cutting their wedding cake at the reception.—*N.C.D.N.*

Nearly two thousand Jewish refugees arrived in Shanghai last week from Germany, most of whom have found accommodation north of Soochow Creek. It is estimated that by the end of this year there will be another 10,000 arriving, bringing the total in Shanghai to somewhere around 25,000. The pictures above show scenes at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf, Broadway, on June 27, when the Italian steamer, Biancamano, arrived with a large party of refugees.—*N.C.D.N.*



Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Milstein who were married at the Shanghai Jewish Club on June 11. Mrs. Milstein was formerly Miss Raya Ginzburg.

The Galloping Game: Shanghai Players in Action

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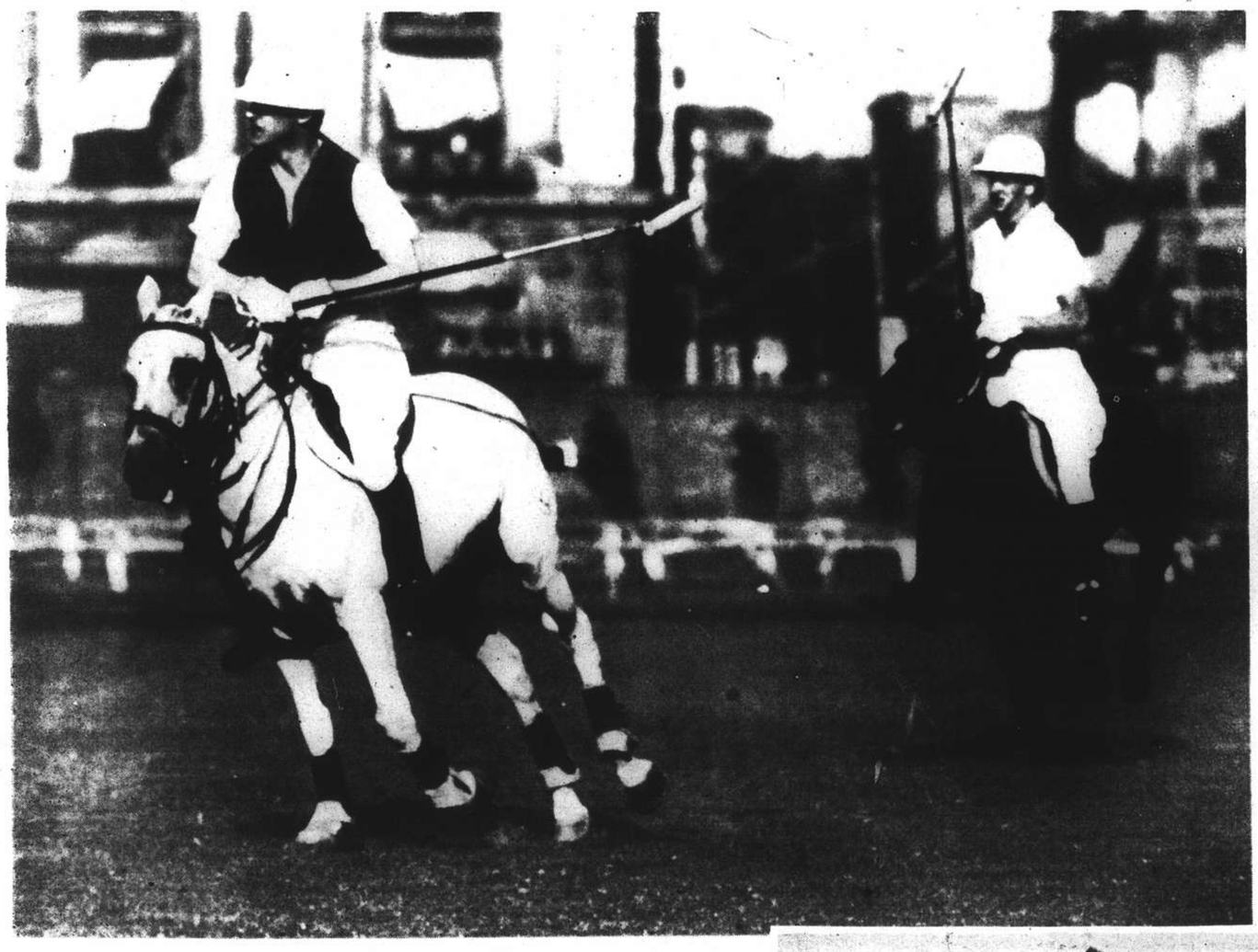

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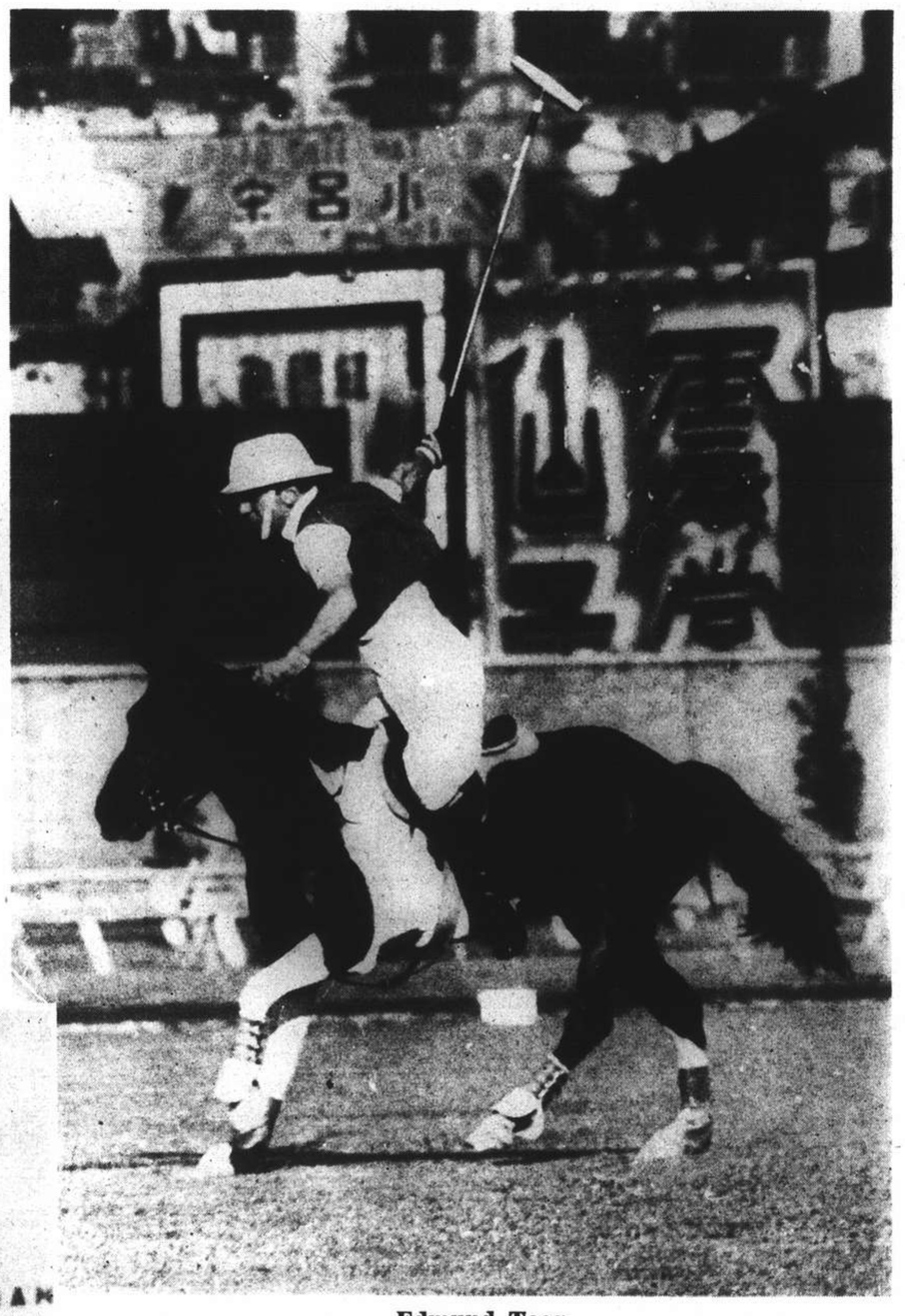

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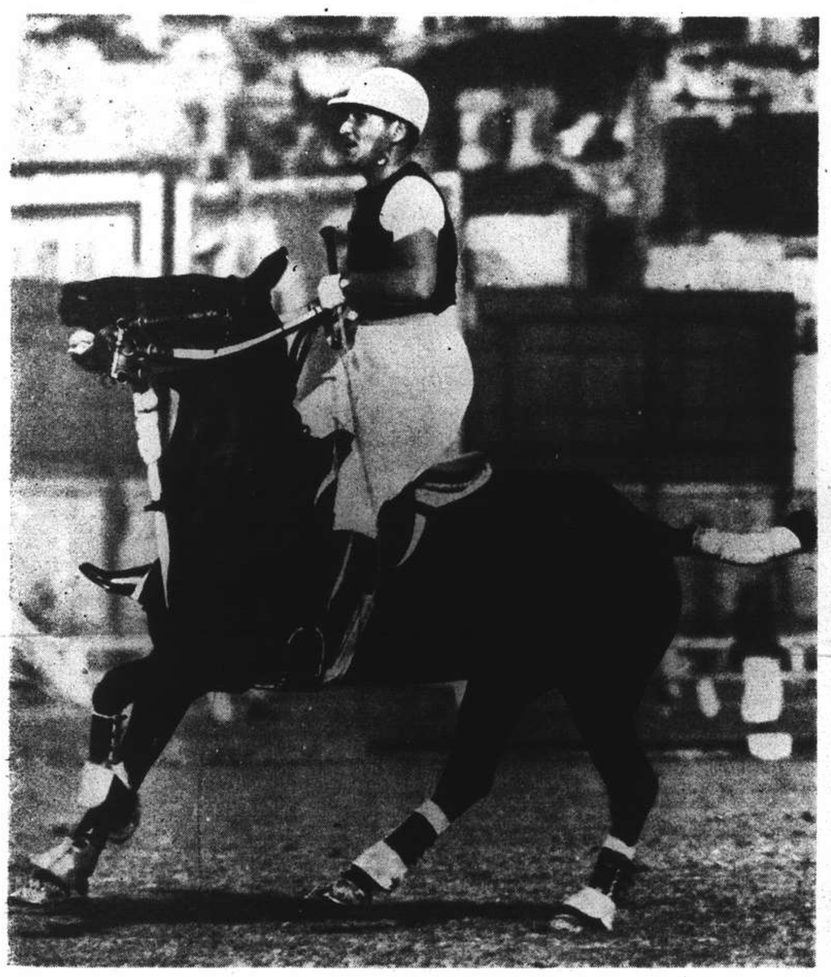

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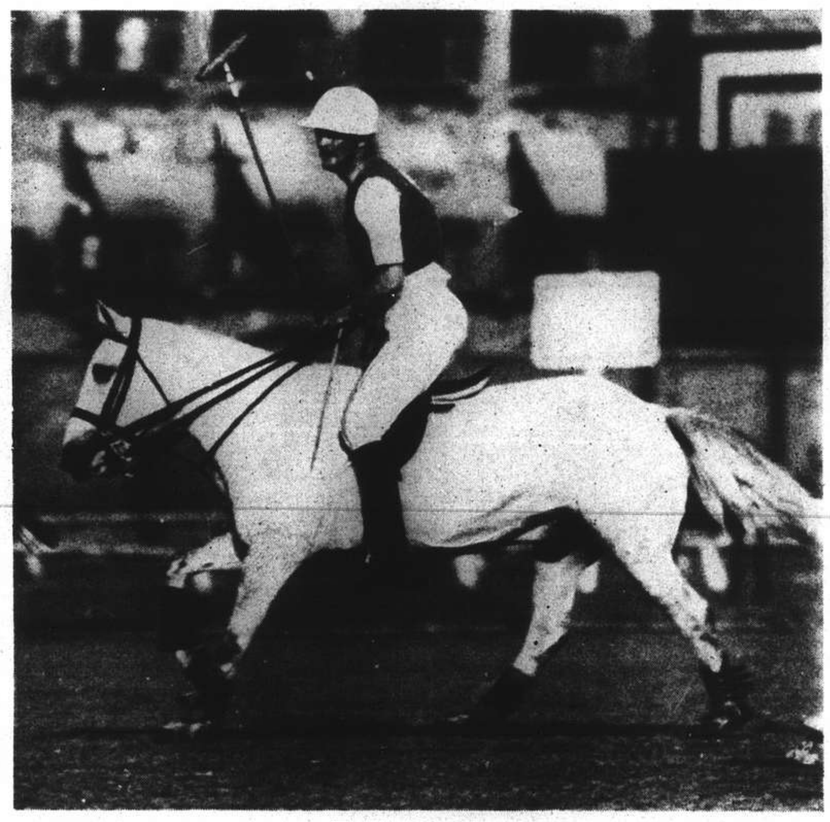

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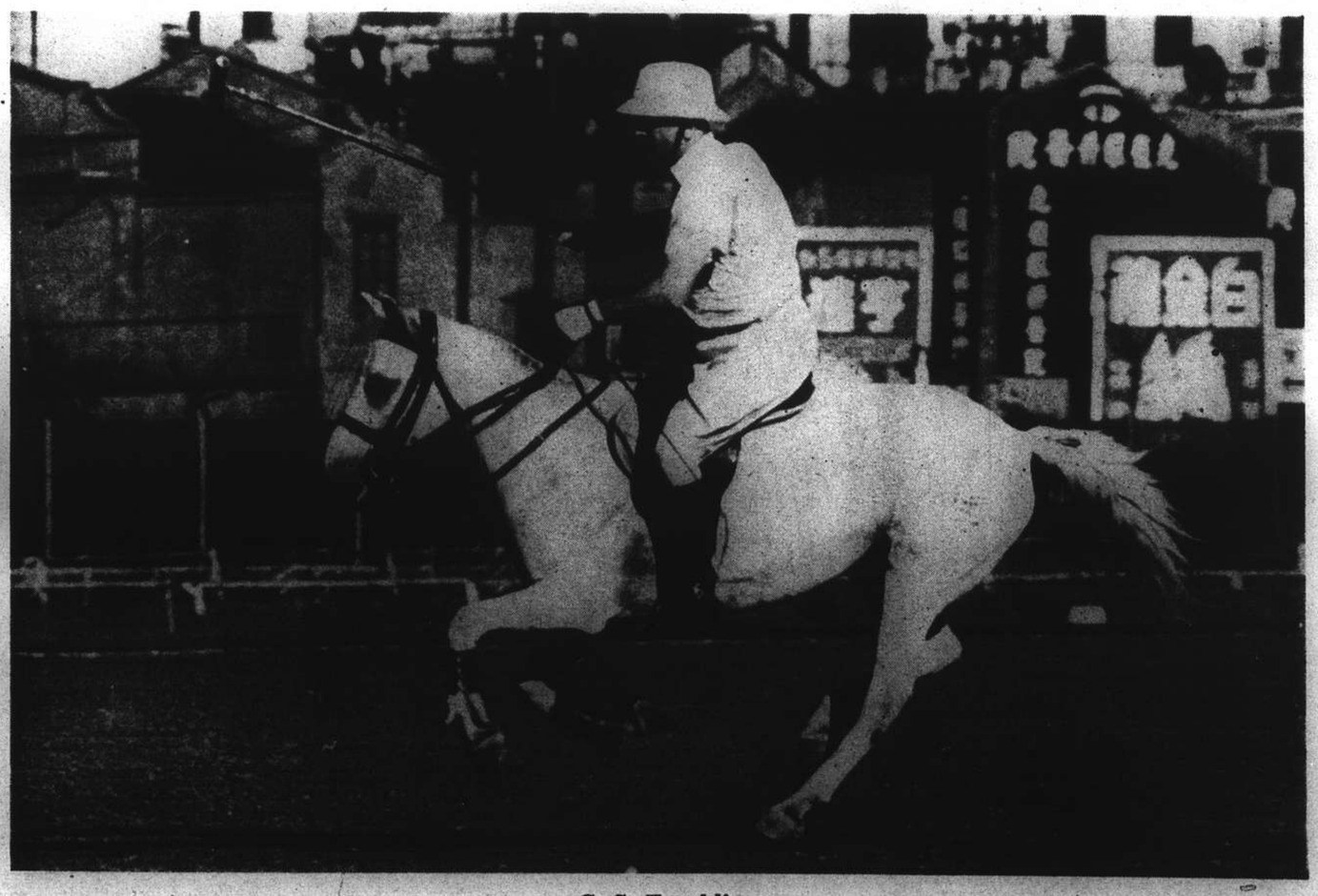

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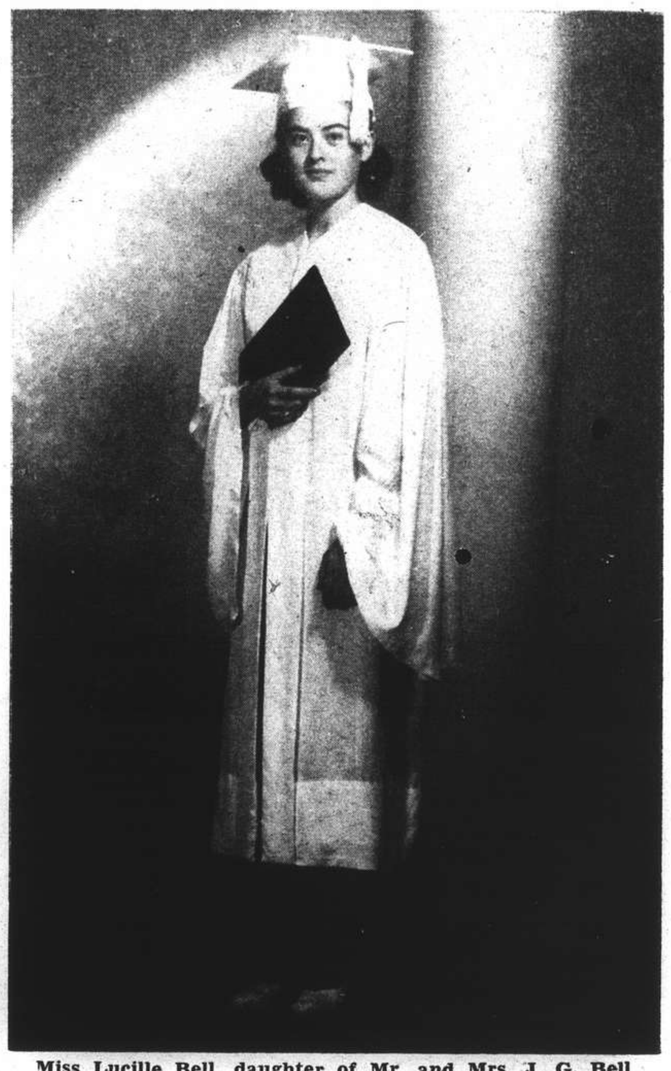
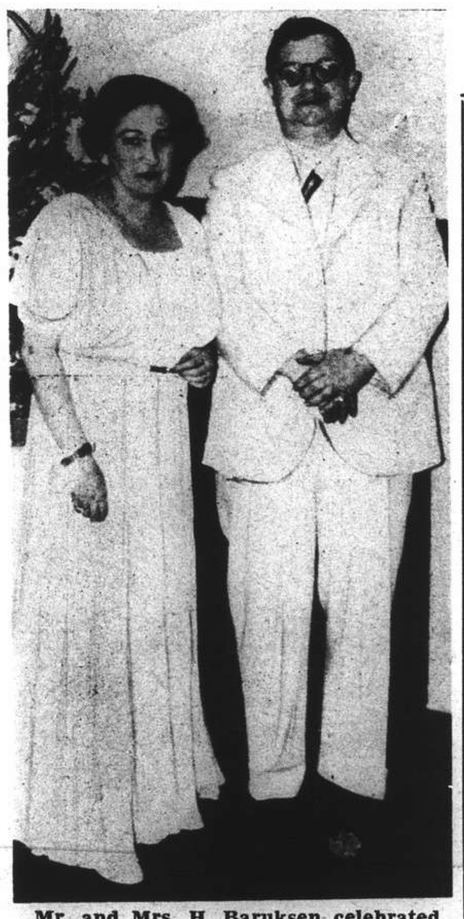
Local Graduates

Miss Angela Hampson, a graduate of the Convent of the Sacred Heart.—*Josepho.*

Miss Margaret Colter, also a graduate of the Convent of the Sacred Heart.—*Josepho.*



Miss Lucille Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bell, a graduate of Loretta School, plans a nursing career. She will sail for the United States next month to begin her training.—*Josepho.*



Mr. and Mrs. H. Baruksen celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on June 25.—*N.C.D.N.*

Mr. Edgar L. Silgalw, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Silgalw of Shanghai, recently received his B.Sc. degree in Economics at the University of California. He is an ex-Shanghai Public School Boy.

Mr. Koo Ming Tsuen, a Lester School graduate, recently received a scholarship from the Federation of British Industries. He left for England on June 24 for a training course with Sir Alexander Gibb & Partners.

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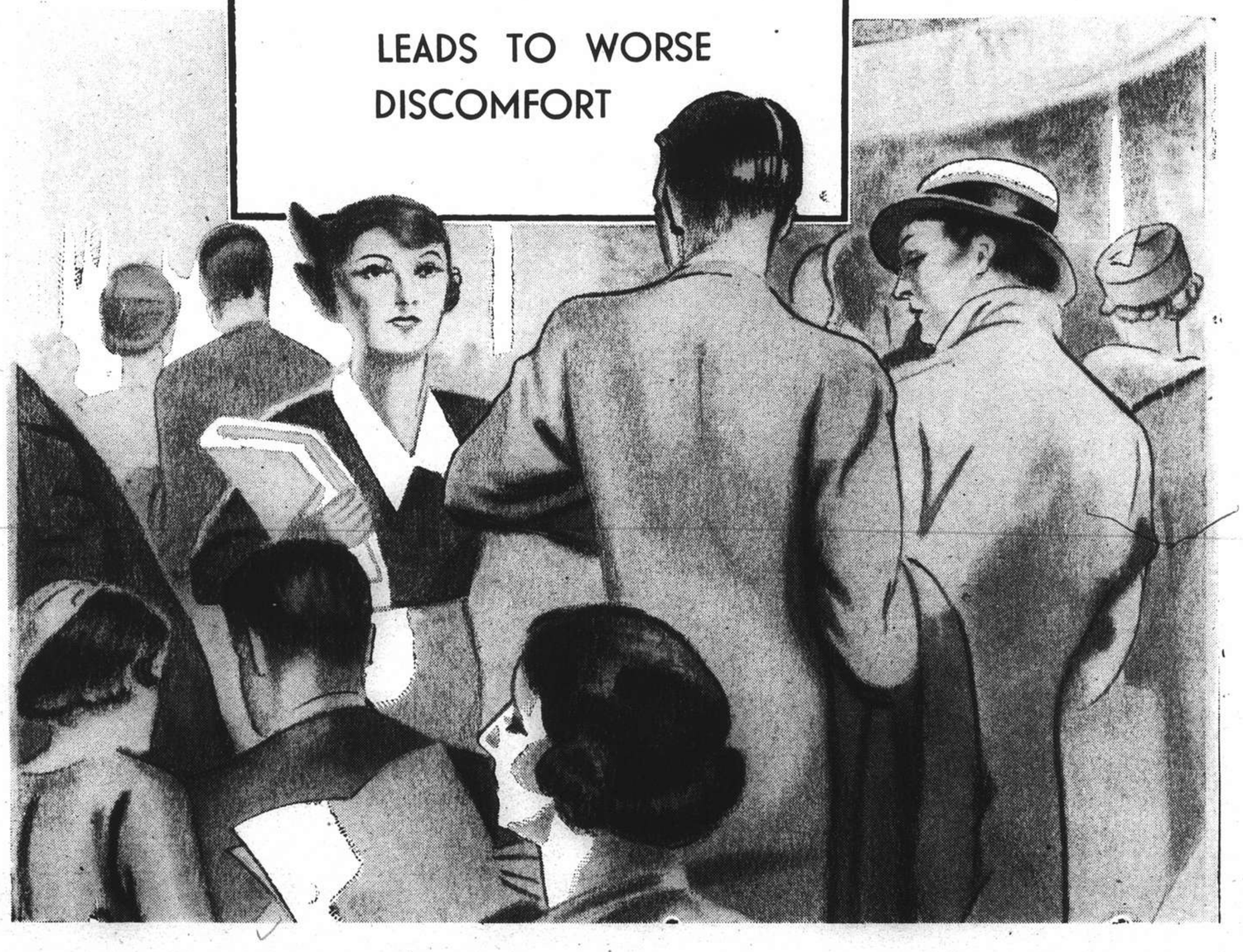

Some people declare they "Don't perspire"—yet they'll admit to feeling hot and jaded after hours in a warm stuffy atmosphere.

But of course they perspire—the average person gets rid of as much as 1½ pints of perspiration daily. It is one of nature's ways of ridding the system of impurities. Maybe some people don't show it *directly*, but they notice it nevertheless in the form of *"Sticky skin"*—produced by perspiration filling the pores of the skin with waste acid.

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T'ou Se We: Home of Skilled Workers

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The artistic entrance to the statuary department at T'ou Se We Orphanage.

A statue takes shape from a rough log under the hands of a skilled craftsman.

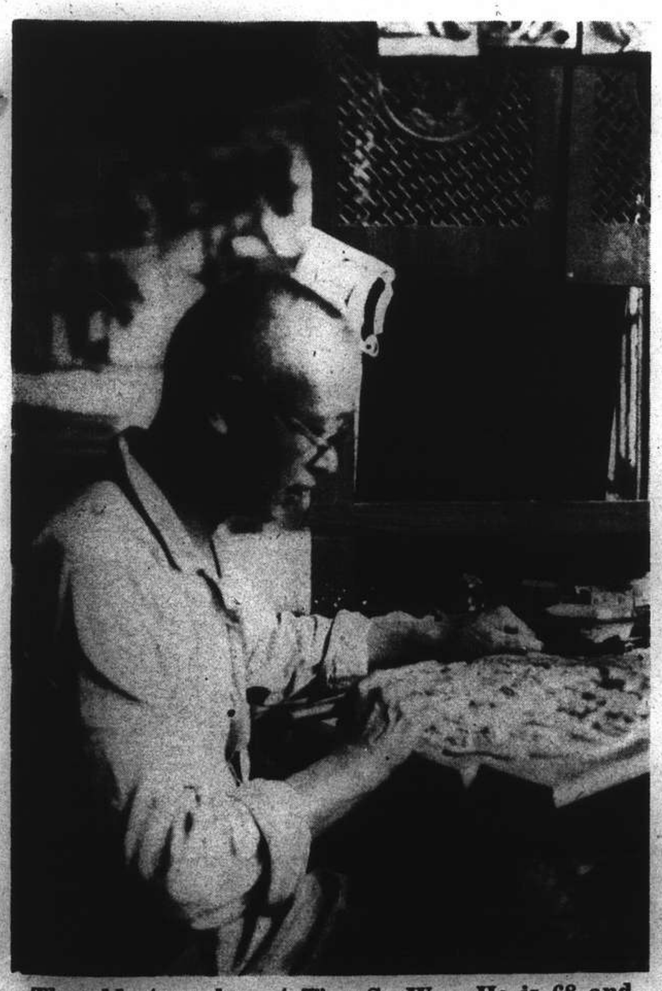
A JESUIT ENTERPRISE

Forming a community of its own in Siccawei, on the south-western outskirts of Shanghai, is the T'ou Se We Orphanage under the direction of the Jesuit Coadjutor Brothers. The Orphanage houses scores of youthful inmates, as well as adults, and gives employment to many others. Most of the orphans come from very poor Chinese families; they are given a primary education followed by training in whatever trade for which they show a natural aptitude. At nineteen these young men have completed their course and many continue to work at T'ou Se We, even after their marriage.

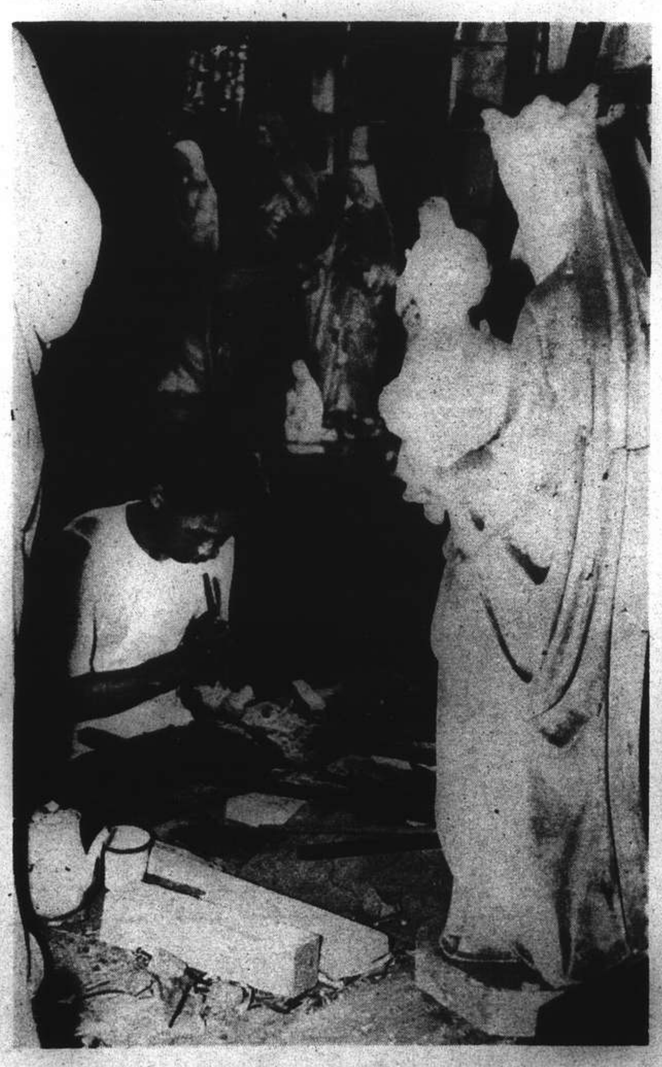
The visitor to T'ou Se We will be surprised at the variety of trades there. They include printing, bookbinding, painting, stained glass work, metal and woodwork, and statuary. As speed of production is not the first consideration, the workers devote themselves to turning out articles of superb craftsmanship. Some of the more elaborately carved pieces of furniture have taken years to complete.

A class of young apprentices receiving instruction.

(*Above*) **Some of the beautifully executed religious figures.** (*Below*) **These two busts on display at T'ou Se We are of Paul Hsu (Hsu Kuang-chi), a brilliant litterateur, who was converted to Catholicism in 1603, and of his grandaughter, Candida. Paul Hsu did much work for the Church and after his death in 1643 this was carried on by Candida Hsu.**



The oldest worker at T'ou Se We. He is 68 and has been at the Orphanage for sixty years.



At work in the statuary workshop.

Heart Strings

VIGNETTES OF LIFE

By J. NORMAN LYND

THERE'S NOTHING TO BE DONE... EXCEPT TO STAND BY AND LET THEM SETTLE THEIR ARGUMENTS --- IT'S HEART-RENDING... YES, MA'AM

A SPECIAL DISH TO WARM THE COCKLES OF HIS HEART--- LATER, SHE'LL SPRING THE PICTURE OF A NEW DRESS ON HIM.

OH, SURE, WE WERE YOUNG OURSELVES ONCE---STILL, WE LIKE TO SEE THE SHOW.

HOME IS WHERE THE HEART IS---AND THE CAKE WITH ICING --AND ALL SORTS OF GORGEOUS THINGS TO EAT.

OF COURSE FATHER HAS A HEART BUT HE'S NO GOOD AT SINGING LULLABIES---NOT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT, HE ISN'T.

THE FIRST BOY IN A FAMILY OF GIRLS... NOW, THERE'S SOMETHING TO FILL THE HEART WITH JOY, AND BUST THE VEST BUTTONS.

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